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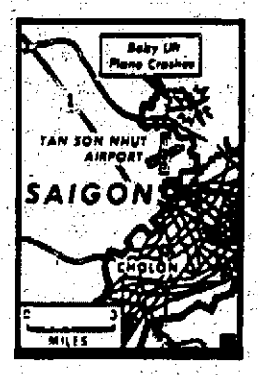
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Were it left to me to decide whether we should have government without newspapers or newspapers without government, I should not hesitate to prefer the latter. – Thomas Jefferson.

Swami Moves Into The Executive Suite

During the 1950s and '60s it became fashionable among the majors in the business community to go in for planning.

Roughly translated, this meant an educated hunch by top management, aided by a marketing team's guesses, on where the economy should be in five year increments into the future. Management also took a reading from the other side of the mirror as to where the economy and its particular industry might be at those steps along the line.

The exercise might be likened to one of keeping up with the Joneses because if the projection for the XYZ Company did not at least coincide the industry and national averages, the handwriting was plain to be seen.

The concept was not original. Fundamentally, the basic swings taken by the stock market, as distinguished from day to day fluctuations, are a better than a century old demonstration in this crystal ball gazing. It was new simply in the sense of individual businesses adopting it in great numbers and almost simultaneously.

Presently this peering into the future has taken a back seat to the immediate concern of staying afloat until the economy's choppy waters subside.

This does not mean future gazing has been discarded as a broken weather vane.

The big outfits continue to scan the horizon and many of them have installed new telecopes or, more accurately, have signed on a different breed of star watcher. The Wall Street Journal estimates a fifth or more of Fortune magazine's 500 industrial corporations (in terms of sales) have engaged the new surveyor.

The title for him is a futurist.

His background and operational mode, comparatively speaking, are outer space.

The marketing analyses and projections of the '50s and '60s were based on statistical evidence: population trends; buying habits and preferences; disposable income (what is left after Uncle Sam and the state of Michigan take their whacks at the pocketbook, plus also mortgage payments and overhanging bills); a company's own efficiency or lack thereof were some of the dominant factors fed into the ultimate equation.

The futurist is a bird with entirely different feathering.

He knows or professes to know nothing about business, the nitty gritty of trying to make certain something remains in the till when the bills are paid.

He could not sell ice water in the desert.

Most of his numbers have trained in economics or marketing research, but they are professional students rather than practicioners; and many have backgrounds in art, history, languages and other intellectual pursuits a world removed from the workaday environment.

Their purpose is raise questions, not to provide answers.

Having no command authority within the company, their function is delegated from the date of hiring to alert management to the long range problem which might be called "what if?"

What can the XYZ Company do, for example, if 20 or 25 years hence the children of people now buying XYZ's disposable diapers in large quantities decide not to reproduce?

The futurist's value and also his paycheck depend on the skill with which he can alert the boss to the foregoing example or other more likely developments whose trending may escape a conventionally educated statistician when eyeing the figures.

Needless to say, his counsel leaves the boss in the same old boat upon which he embarks and does not escape until he retires, is fired, or dies in harness.

His neck is on the line to figure out if his swami might be pulling too hard on hash or if he is really fingering something on which XYZ Company should start moving now.

If it seems a bit fuzzy to the reader, all we can say is that some highly respectable outfits are strong on futurism. The Gillette company, Shell Oil, AT&T, United Aircraft and the Institute of Life Insurance are just a few of the big names having the "what if" people in the upstairs office today.

National Laugh Week --We Can Sure Use It

The symptoms can be severe: violent expulsion of breath from the lungs, spasmodic utterance, facial distortion and shaking. Emerson and Epictetus advised against it, and Lord Chesterfield wisely warned his son: "In my mind there is nothing so illiberal and so ill-bred as audible laughter."

Still, millions of Americans have laughed at one time or another, and according to those who keep track of such things, millions more have tittered, chuckled or even guffawed. The causes vary. Comic strips, politicians' promises and Barbra Streisand movies have been held responsible, though experts say the last poses less of a threat. Many high government officials are, fortunately, immune.

Law-enforcement agencies throughout the country and across the nation are on the lookout during National Laugh Week, which began Tuesday (April Fool's Day), whose avowed purpose is "To promote a national sense of humor and a national sense of happiness." This purpose was avowed by the mysterious George Q. Lewis, self-styled spokesman for the Humor Societies of America. His organization is known to have been responsible for National Save the Pun Week in January. Little is known about the group or its goals, but Lewis's address — Box 835, Grand Central Station, New York — has added to suspicions that he is only four inches tall.

Some observers are confident that National Laugh Week will have little effect on the public since there is so little to laugh about these days. At least one mirth expert, however, has pointed out that as long as people can laugh at themselves, they'll have plenty to laugh at. Lewis could not be reached for comment, since a recent fire at telephone company facilities has suspended all service to Manhattan post office boxes.

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EDITOR'S MAILBAG

VOTERS 'PROBABLY DIDN'T WANT TO VOTE NO'

Editor,

In concern with the turnout of the millage, here's another point of view the people of St. Joe might want to hear. As Bruce Bartz put it, "Well I hope the citizens of St. Joseph are happy." I don't think so. Many people probably didn't want to vote no but had to simply because they just can't afford it.

Sure a good education isn't cheap, but neither is living, especially now. People have had to make cuts on many things and this was one of them. If the economic situation in this country doesn't get better we're all going to be in trouble. Living off unemployment isn't easy. But what happens when the unemployment runs out? In Michigan they give you 26 weeks. And then what? Well, I hope never to see that day.

But back to the problem of a good education. Some of the teachers they may lay off are some of the best teachers that have ever come to this school system; namely, Dan Holt and Janice Welbourne. In the classroom, Mr. Holt tells it like it is. He jokes around a lot, yet gains the respect of the students and makes learning an experience rather than a chore. Mrs. Welbourne has taught me to realize that the "American Dream" seems harder and harder to get every day.

But still a person can't help but think of his family and how he's going to make ends meet. Sure it's going to be rough next year at school and, although I won't be around, my brother and sister will. It's too bad that inflation has driven this country into what it is today but when you put making ends meet and the cost of education side by side, the cost of education will have to come second.

Julie Ives
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WHAT TO DO WITH CRIMINALS

Editor,

Checking over what to do with thieves and drunken drivers in Berrien County. More prisons, more police, lawyers, more courts; more judges, means more taxes. More taxes means hardship for many people who have a problem keeping their nose above water as it is.

Matthew Borre would like to see jails or prisons built about this country, as cheese factories in the state of Wisconsin were one-time. The way our courts are run now it seems to me the more money the judge can collect, the better is his praise and reward.

I never had a job in politics but one time I received a letter from the lady who runs the office on Ship street in St. Joe across from the old court house where farmers with too much land to farm and rented their land to us taxpayers who had no land and machinery to take it over and garden all this land that was leased to us no-land taxpayers. This lady said to me the farmers are applying for application to lease and put this land in the hand of our government. We don't know what to do with it all and much of their land is not practical that is why I wrote to you for help. Well, I stopped most of this cheating in one week. Then was told I was too harsh on her applicants. Then I advised her I was in need of the job and would put Lake Michigan in her program if she would let me keep the job. But no soap.

Now my dear readers, I promise you if you want service ask your county commissioners to talk to me and if I should be hired for this job with authority I promise you that you will never be sorry.

Adolph Wesner
250 Chapel road
Niles, Mich.

Do You REMEMBER?

— 10 Years Ago —

Stevensville village building inspector Fred Albrecht Jr. issued two permits during the month of March, one of them for a $165,000 apartment building in the village. The J.P. Construction Co., Benton Harbor, received a permit to build a 16 unit apartment building on the corner of Ridge rd. and John Beers rd. for the Mathisen Corp., Benton Harbor. The complex will be a two story brick construction building facing Ridge rd.

— 25 Years Ago —

St. Joseph city commission passed a resolution approving the relocation of the Paw Paw river for the new US-31 cutoff over the Blossomland bridge project at the meeting of the city commission Monday night. The United States Army Engineers will have to approve the relocation now. The relocation of the present stream will eliminate the need for two additional bridges on the cutoff project. The state highway department will pay for the cost of the straightening of the river east of Jean Klock park and the Auto Specialties Manufacturing company property.

— 50 Years Ago —

Leon Hill, chairman of the advisory board of the Salvation Army is jubilant today. He was president of the Exchange club when that organization successfully put over the campaign for funds to support local work of the Salvation Army, and today Hill made the announcement that Mrs. Henrietta P. Avery has given her beautiful and commodious home on Brunson avenue, Benton Harbor, for Salvation Army headquarters. Mrs. Avery is very modest in her philanthropy. She and her late husband, E.E. Avery, accumulated their property through industry, toil and sacrifice and now she wants the property to go where it will aid to the fullest extent the common people. Mrs. Avery has made possible the new Twin City Y.W.C.A. building in St. Joseph and the proposed new Eleanor club in Benton Harbor through previous benefactions.

— 75 Years Ago —

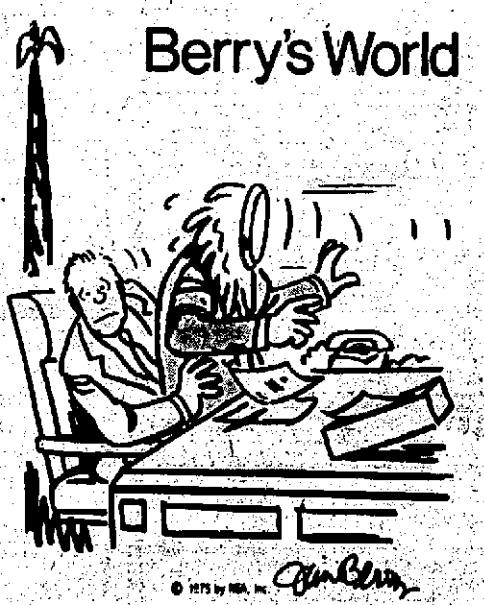
The Benton Harbor city council met in regular session Tuesday night and arrangements were made to purchase at once the property on Sixth and Wall streets for the purpose of opening Brunson avenue.

Dr. H.C. Rockwell has given a complete set of the Encyclopedia Brittanica to the new Benton Harbor public library. Books and magazines to the number of a hundred and fifty have been received. Only a part of the city has been canvassed. The library management heartily thanks all who helped or will help in this benevolent work.

The photo gallery car has been moved from the lately purchased Tonnelier corner, Benton Harbor, to the vacant lot opposite the Benton Harbor city hall.

Potatoes are offered on the streets in Benton Harbor today at 35 cents per bushel.

Berry's World



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"WATCH OUT, MR. PRESIDENT — IT'S ONE OF THOSE PIE-THROWING HIT MEN!"

Tom Tiede



Crime Control Is Up To Us

WASHINGTON — If Patty Hearst had been wanted by police officers of early America, the possibility of finding her would not be as difficult as now. By necessity and legal permission, the citizens of the day were expected to be part of the law enforcement process. Thus it was not uncommon, say, for a farmer to march in a desperado at the point of a pitchfork.

The concept of team spirit in these matters has, however, long since died. The growing government has assumed virtually all control in matters of domestic security, the private citizen is left with almost no responsibility. Actually, the citizen is increasingly condemned for those hints of self defense he does retain. Vigilantism is a dirty word, private gun ownership is vile to some; not infrequently will men and women strike back against criminals only to be charged with assault themselves.

No doubt the arguments for centralized law enforcement are good. No advanced society has found adequate alternatives. A farmer with a rifle in the 1700s may have been the only hope for law and order within hundreds of miles. But now there are 40,000 police agencies in the country, plus 15-million laws to back them up. Each are the complexities of the system including its lapover into the political intelligence wastelands, that the farmer and his plinker are, in most instances, merely a drag on sophistication.

Albeit, the sophistication American has achieved with centralized security is not doing the job. The nation has more police than ever before (2.1 public officers for every 1,000 people and three times as many private security guards), and is spending more money than ever for their effectiveness (New York City budgets some $6 million annually just to protect its schools) — but for what? Not security.

The U.S. crime rate has doubled in the last five years and some studies indicate there may be as many as 30 million crimes committed yearly now. The war on crime has been lost; only two of 10 known offenses are currently being cleared by arrests.

It is undeniable that one reason for the defeat is that the good fellows in the battle are fighting with legally imposed handicaps. Big city police, for example, no longer having the right of sudden search, are often powerless to prevent crimes they know will happen. Yet does this mean cops should be allowed free rope? Of course not.

Excess in the hands of police is as deadly as it is in the hands of thugs — one recalls with anger the Dallas cop who arrested and handcuffed a 12-year-old boy and then shot him dead during interrogation.

So what we have here, or at least have had in recent times, is a situation where private citizens give more and more of the domestic defense responsibility to public agencies increasingly unable to carry out the mandate. Only the outlaws have profited, the cops and the citizens have fallen into mutual dispair. Surely it's clear theapparatus is in need of restructuring.

The suggestion here is that a major part of the mechanical work should concern the reintroduction of Mr. America into the law enforcement system. Police by themselves are woefully outnumbered by the enemy and reinforcements are vital. No vigilantes please, only good citizens willing to assist in, not substitute for, the law. The need is for new thinking in the ways the public can be effective, as an army of do-gooders, and for a reformation of the ideas that we can purchase justice and security merely with hired guns.

Marianne Means



Southerner May Hurdle Barrier

WASHINGTON — Among the political revolutions of this post-McGovern, post-Nixon era is the little-noticed fact that a majority of the most active Democratic Presidential possibilities are from the South.

Since the Civil War, no Southern-based politician has been elected to the Presidency without first having succeeded to that office from the Vice Presidency.

Twelve years ago, President John F. Kennedy expressed the hope to a Southern governor that the traditional regional barrier to the White House would soon crumble, as the religious barrier had toppled with his own election. Kennedy's Vice President, Lyndon Johnson, accidentally became the first Southern politician to sit in the White House in a century, but he always felt privately that the rest of the nation resented his origins.

Now, suddenly, four apparently sensible and rational Southern Democrats are prepared to gamble that the regional barrier has at last fallen. And there are two and perhaps more who may join the field.

Sen. Lloyd Bentsen of Texas and former Gov. Jimmy Carter of Georgia have already announced. Gov. George Wallace of Alabama is hinting heavily that he will run, although his poor health remains a factor. Duke University president Terry Sanford of North Carolina, the governor to whom Kennedy made that remark in 1963, will announce at the end of the school term in May. Florida Gov. Reubin Askew and Arkansas Sen. Dale Bumpers figure heavily in dark horse speculation.

What has happened? Why are there suddenly so many Southerners being taken seriously as real live candidates?

There is no clear answer, other than the obvious fact that ambition springs in the hearts of Southerners no less than in Yankees. But many Dixie politicians now believe that the Democratic Party, fleeing from the radical ideas of the McGovern activists, is more receptive than in the past three decades to the fiscal conservatism and devotion to tradition long identified with the South.

They also feel that in the past decade Southern integration has sufficiently progressed — especially in comparison with Northern cities like Boston — so that regional leaders of moderate philosophy can run for national office without the stigma of racism.

"The burden of race made it impossible for any Southerner to be taken seriously outside the South," Sanford says. "But now there is a sense of relief all that is behind us, and people can look at a lot of other things the South has stood for, such as a broader concept of the use of federalism."

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Were it left to me to decide whether we should have government without newspapers or newspapers without government, I should not hesitate to prefer the latter. – Thomas Jefferson.

Swami Moves Into The Executive Suite

During the 1950s and '60s it became fashionable among the majors in the business community to go in for planning.

Roughly translated, this meant an educated hunch by top management, aided by a marketing team's guesses, on where the economy should be in five year increments into the future. Management also took a reading from the other side of the mirror as to where the economy and its particular industry might be at those steps along the line.

The exercise might be likened to one of keeping up with the Joneses because if the projection for the XYZ Company did not at least coincide the industry and national averages, the handwriting was plain to be seen.

The concept was not original. Fundamentally, the basic swings taken by the stock market, as distinguished from day to day fluctuations, are a better than a century old demonstration in this crystal ball gazing. It was new simply in the sense of individual businesses adopting it in great numbers and almost simultaneously.

Presently this peering into the future has taken a back seat to the immediate concern of staying afloat until the economy's choppy waters subside.

This does not mean future gazing has been discarded as a broken weather vane.

The big outfits continue to scan the horizon and many of them have installed new telecopes or, more accurately, have signed on a different breed of star watcher. The Wall Street Journal estimates a fifth or more of Fortune magazine's 500 industrial corporations (in terms of sales) have engaged the new surveyor.

The title for him is a futurist.

His background and operational mode, comparatively speaking, are outer space.

The marketing analyses and projections of the '50s and '60s were based on statistical evidence: population trends; buying habits and preferences; disposable income (what is left after Uncle Sam and the state of Michigan take their whacks at the pocketbook, plus also mortgage payments and overhanging bills); a company's own efficiency or lack thereof were some of the dominant factors fed into the ultimate equation.

The futurist is a bird with entirely different feathering.

He knows or professes to know nothing about business, the nitty gritty of trying to make certain something remains in the till when the bills are paid.

He could not sell ice water in the desert.

Most of his numbers have trained in economics or marketing research, but they are professional students rather than practicioners; and many have backgrounds in art, history, languages and other intellectual pursuits a world removed from the workaday environment.

Their purpose is raise questions, not to provide answers.

Having no command authority within the company, their function is delegated from the date of hiring to alert management to the long range problem which might be called "what if?"

What can the XYZ Company do, for example, if 20 or 25 years hence the children of people now buying XYZ's disposable diapers in large quantities decide not to reproduce?

The futurist's value and also his paycheck depend on the skill with which he can alert the boss to the foregoing example or other more likely developments whose trending may escape a conventionally educated statistician when eyeing the figures.

Needless to say, his counsel leaves the boss in the same old boat upon which he embarks and does not escape until he retires, is fired, or dies in harness.

His neck is on the line to figure out if his swami might be pulling too hard on hash or if he is really fingering something on which XYZ Company should start moving now.

If it seems a bit fuzzy to the reader, all we can say is that some highly respectable outfits are strong on futurism. The Gillette company, Shell Oil, AT&T, United Aircraft and the Institute of Life Insurance are just a few of the big names having the "what if" people in the upstairs office today.

National Laugh Week --We Can Sure Use It

The symptoms can be severe: violent expulsion of breath from the lungs, spasmodic utterance, facial distortion and shaking. Emerson and Epictetus advised against it, and Lord Chesterfield wisely warned his son: "In my mind there is nothing so illiberal and so ill-bred as audible laughter."

Still, millions of Americans have laughed at one time or another, and according to those who keep track of such things, millions more have tittered, chuckled or even guffawed. The causes vary. Comic strips, politicians' promises and Barbra Streisand movies have been held responsible, though experts say the last poses less of a threat. Many high government officials are, fortunately, immune.

Law-enforcement agencies throughout the country and across the nation are on the lookout during National Laugh Week, which began Tuesday (April Fool's Day), whose avowed purpose is "To promote a national sense of humor and a national sense of happiness." This purpose was avowed by the mysterious George Q. Lewis, self-styled spokesman for the Humor Societies of America. His organization is known to have been responsible for National Save the Pun Week in January. Little is known about the group or its goals, but Lewis's address — Box 835, Grand Central Station, New York — has added to suspicions that he is only four inches tall.

Some observers are confident that National Laugh Week will have little effect on the public since there is so little to laugh about these days. At least one mirth expert, however, has pointed out that as long as people can laugh at themselves, they'll have plenty to laugh at. Lewis could not be reached for comment, since a recent fire at telephone company facilities has suspended all service to Manhattan post office boxes.

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EDITOR'S MAILBAG

VOTERS 'PROBABLY DIDN'T WANT TO VOTE NO'

Editor,

In concern with the turnout of the millage, here's another point of view the people of St. Joe might want to hear. As Bruce Bartz put it, "Well I hope the citizens of St. Joseph are happy." I don't think so. Many people probably didn't want to vote no but had to simply because they just can't afford it.

Sure a good education isn't cheap, but neither is living, especially now. People have had to make cuts on many things and this was one of them. If the economic situation in this country doesn't get better we're all going to be in trouble. Living off unemployment isn't easy. But what happens when the unemployment runs out? In Michigan they give you 26 weeks. And then what? Well, I hope never to see that day.

But back to the problem of a good education. Some of the teachers they may lay off are some of the best teachers that have ever come to this school system; namely, Dan Holt and Janice Welbourne. In the classroom, Mr. Holt tells it like it is. He jokes around a lot, yet gains the respect of the students and makes learning an experience rather than a chore. Mrs. Welbourne has taught me to realize that the "American Dream" seems harder and harder to get every day.

But still a person can't help but think of his family and how he's going to make ends meet. Sure it's going to be rough next year at school and, although I won't be around, my brother and sister will. It's too bad that inflation has driven this country into what it is today but when you put making ends meet and the cost of education side by side, the cost of education will have to come second.

Julie Ives
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St. Joseph

WHAT TO DO WITH CRIMINALS

Editor,

Checking over what to do with thieves and drunken drivers in Berrien County. More prisons, more police, lawyers, more courts, more judges, means more taxes. More taxes means hardship for many people who have a problem keeping their nose above water as it is.

Matthew Borre would like to see jails or prisons built about this country, as cheese factories in the state of Wisconsin were one time. The way our courts are run now it seems to me the more money the judge can collect, the better is his praise and reward.

I never had a job in politics but one time I received a letter from the lady who runs the office on Ship street in St. Joe across from the old court house where farmers with too much land to farm and rented their land to us taxpayers who had no land and machinery to take it over and garden all this land that was leased to us no-land taxpayers. This lady said to me the farmers are applying for application to lease and put this land in the hand of our government. We don't know what to do with it all and much of their land is not practical that is why I wrote to you for help. Well, I stopped most of this cheating in one week. Then was told I was too harsh on her applicants. Then I advised her I was in need of the job and would put Lake Michigan in her program if she would let me keep the job. But no soap.

Now my dear readers, I promise you if you want service ask your county commissioners to talk to me and if I should be hired for this job with authority I promise you that you will never be sorry.

Adolph Wesner
250 Chapel road
Niles, Mich.

Do You REMEMBER?

— 10 Years Ago —

Stevensville village building inspector Fred Albrecht Jr. issued two permits during the month of March, one of them for a $165,000 apartment building in the village. The J.P. Construction Co., Benton Harbor, received a permit to build a 16 unit apartment building on the corner of Ridge rd. and John Beers rd. for the Mathisen Corp., Benton Harbor. The complex will be a two story brick construction building facing Ridge rd.

— 25 Years Ago —

St. Joseph city commission passed a resolution approving the relocation of the Paw Paw river for the new US-31 cutoff over the Blossomland bridge project at the meeting of the city commission Monday night. The United States Army Engineers will have to approve the relocation now. The relocation of the present stream will eliminate the need for two additional bridges on the cutoff project. The state highway department will pay for the cost of the straightening of the river east of Jean Klock park and the Auto Specialties Manufacturing company property.

— 50 Years Ago —

Leon Hill, chairman of the advisory board of the Salvation Army is jubilant today. He was president of the Exchange club when that organization successfully put over the campaign for funds to support local work of the Salvation Army, and today Hill made the announcement that Mrs. Henrietta P. Avery has given her beautiful and commodious home on Brunson avenue, Benton Harbor, for Salvation Army headquarters. Mrs. Avery is very modest in her philanthropy. She and her late husband, E.E. Avery, accumulated their property through industry, toil and sacrifice and now she wants the property to go where it will aid to the fullest extent the common people. Mrs. Avery has made possible the new Twin City Y.W.C.A. building in St. Joseph and the proposed new Eleanor club in Benton Harbor through previous benefactions.

— 75 Years Ago —

The Benton Harbor city council met in regular session Tuesday night and arrangements were made to purchase at once the property on Sixth and Wall streets for the purpose of opening Brunson avenue.

Dr. H.C. Rockwell has given a complete set of the Encyclopedia Brittanica to the new Benton Harbor public library. Books and magazines to the number of a hundred and fifty have been received. Only a part of the city has been canvassed. The library management heartily thanks all who helped or will help in this benevolent work.

The photo gallery car has been moved from the lately purchased Tonnelier corner, Benton Harbor, to the vacant lot opposite the Benton Harbor city hall.

Potatoes are offered on the streets in Benton Harbor today at 35 cents per bushel.

Berry's World



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"WATCH OUT, MR. PRESIDENT — IT'S ONE OF THOSE PIE-THROWING HIT MEN!"

Tom Tiede



Crime Control Is Up To Us

WASHINGTON — If Patty Hearst had been wanted by police officers of early America, the possibility of finding her would not be as difficult as now. By necessity and legal permission, the citizens of the day were expected to be part of the law enforcement process. Thus it was not uncommon, say, for a farmer to march in a desperado at the point of a pitchfork.

The concept of team spirit in these matters has, however, long since died. The growing government has assumed virtually all control in matters of domestic security, the private citizen is left with almost no responsibility. Actually, the citizen is increasingly condemned for those hints of self defense he does retain. Vigilantism is a dirty word, private gun ownership is vile to some; not infrequently will men and women strike back against criminals only to be charged with assault themselves.

No doubt the arguments for centralized law enforcement are good. No advanced society has found adequate alternatives. A farmer with a rifle in the 1700s may have been the only hope for law and order within hundreds of miles. But now there are 40,000 police agencies in the country, plus 15-million laws to back them up. Each are the complexities of the system including its lapover into the political intelligence wastelands, that the farmer and his plinker are, in most instances, merely a drag on sophistication.

Albeit, the sophistication American has achieved with centralized security is not doing the job. The nation has more police than ever before (2.1 public officers for every 1,000 people and three times as many private security guards), and is spending more money than ever for their effectiveness (New York City budgets some $6 million annually just to protect its schools) — but for what? Not security.

The U.S. crime rate has doubled in the last five years and some studies indicate there may be as many as 30 million crimes committed yearly now. The war on crime has been lost; only two of 10 known offenses are currently being cleared by arrests.

It is undeniable that one reason for the defeat is that the good fellows in the battle are fighting with legally imposed handicaps. Big city police, for example, no longer having the right of sudden search, are often powerless to prevent crimes they know will happen. Yet does this mean cops should be allowed free rope? Of course not.

Excess in the hands of police is as deadly as it is in the hands of thugs — one recalls with anger the Dallas cop who arrested and handcuffed a 12-year-old boy and then shot him dead during interrogation.

So what we have here, or at least have had in recent times, is a situation where private citizens give more and more of the domestic defense responsibility to public agencies increasingly unable to carry out the mandate. Only the outlaws have profited, the cops and the citizens have fallen into mutual dispair. Surely it's clear theapparatus is in need of restructuring.

The suggestion here is that a major part of the mechanical work should concern the reintroduction of Mr. America into the law enforcement system. Police by themselves are woefully outnumbered by the enemy and reinforcements are vital. No vigilantes please, only good citizens willing to assist in, not substitute for, the law. The need is for new thinking in the ways the public can be effective, as an army of do-gooders, and for a reformation of the ideas that we can purchase justice and security merely with hired guns.

Marianne Means



Southerner May Hurdle Barrier

WASHINGTON — Among the political revolutions of this post-McGovern, post-Nixon era is the little-noticed fact that a majority of the most active Democratic Presidential possibilities are from the South.

Since the Civil War, no Southern-based politician has been elected to the Presidency without first having succeeded to that office from the Vice Presidency.

Twelve years ago, President John F. Kennedy expressed the hope to a Southern governor that the traditional regional barrier to the White House would soon crumble, as the religious barrier had toppled with his own election. Kennedy's Vice President, Lyndon Johnson, accidentally became the first Southern politician to sit in the White House in a century, but he always felt privately that the rest of the nation resented his origins.

Now, suddenly, four apparently sensible and rational Southern Democrats are prepared to gamble that the regional barrier has at last fallen. And there are two and perhaps more who may join the field.

Sen. Lloyd Bentsen of Texas and former Gov. Jimmy Carter of Georgia have already announced. Gov. George Wallace of Alabama is hinting heavily that he will run, although his poor health remains a factor. Duke University president Terry Sanford of North Carolina, the governor to whom Kennedy made that remark in 1963, will announce at the end of the school term in May. Florida Gov. Reubin Askew and Arkansas Sen. Dale Bumpers figure heavily in dark horse speculation.

What has happened? Why are there suddenly so many Southerners being taken seriously as real live candidates?

There is no clear answer, other than the obvious fact that ambition springs in the hearts of Southerners no less than in Yankees. But many Dixie politicians now believe that the Democratic Party, fleeing from the radical ideas of the McGovern activists, is more receptive than in the past three decades to the fiscal conservatism and devotion to tradition long identified with the South.

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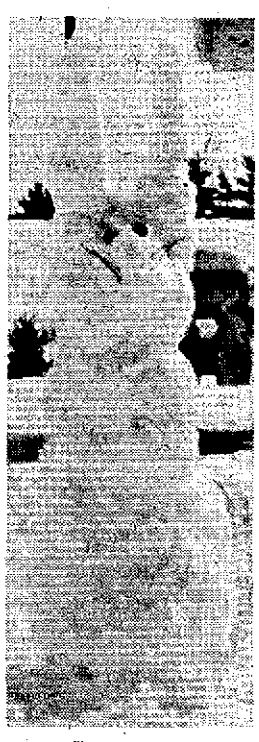
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The movement of traffic itself, aided by eight county snowplows, opened and kept most of the county road system passable, Thursday, despite a continuing strike by road commission employes. One-lane traffic was the rule on many of the secondary roads.

Web said 11 plows, all operated by supervisory personnel, should be able to restore full use of all county roads today. Continuation of a bright sun that shone at mid-morning would help in clearing away effects of the early spring snowstorm that plastered much of southern Michigan and adjacent states with rain, sleet and snow Wednesday night and Thursday morning. Winds up to 35 miles an hour created drifts up to five feet deep in places.

Webb said roads that were still impassable this morning were back roads and some subdivision streets that normally have light travel. They were spread around the county.

A number of side roads were reported still blocked in Allegan county, while all roads had been plowed in Van Buren and Cass counties.

In Van Buren county, a motorist was seriously injured when she hit a drift south of Paw Paw and her car careened into a tree. The driver was identified as Miss April E. Chybik, 15, Route 1, Paw Paw.

In Berrien county, a foreman-driver on one of the county snowplows damaged the underbody scraper frame on his truck and tied up traffic briefly. The blade of his plow hooked a rail at the Penn Central railroad crossing on Pipestone road near the Southern Michigan Cold Storage plant in Sodus township.

Biggest Berrien Manhunt Began 10 Years Ago

Berrien county's triple murder victims were discovered 10 years ago today, April 4, 1965, in a pine grove in Bainbridge township.

Finding of of the mutilated bodies of Diane Carter, 7; Mrs. Amelia Boyer, 60, and Mary Esther Jones, 37, launched the biggest criminal investigation in area history. All of the victims lived in the Fair avenue area of Benton Harbor and Benton township and had been missing from two months to six days.

Police concluded the triple murders really were quadruple murders. The killer who placed the bodies in the pine grove also was believed responsible for the murder of Delores Young whose nude body had been fouhd Feb. 16, 1965, in a burned out house in Benton Harbor.

The investigation ground on six years until Aug. 5, 1971, when then Prosecutor Ronald J. Taylor closed the books on the case, saying an inmate of Joliet, Ill., prison was "responsible for our four murders."

Clarence Walker also known as Clyde Haynes and James Darnell is still serving a consecutive 320-year term in Illinois for rape, assault with intent to murder and armed robbery. He was placed in Berrien county at the time of the quadruple murders and was seen with at least one of the victims and possibly two others.

Taylor said Walker would not be prosecuted in Berrien county because of the length of his sentence in Illinois. Walker refused to give a statement to Berrien county authorities and evidence was circumstantial. But the sex slayings ceased when he left Berrien.

River Valley To Discuss Staff Cuts

THREE OAKS — A special meeting of the River Valley school board will be held at 8 p.m. Monday in the board room in the River Valley high school here.

The meeting pertains to evaluation of teachers and possible further staff reductions in order to hold down costs of operation, according to board members.

The board has already voted to notify 14 probationary teachers that they will not be re-employed next year because of the loss of a 3.824-mill property tax millage issue late last month.

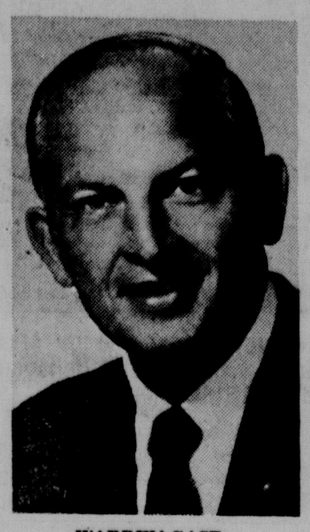


SJ INDUSTRIAL SITE LEVELED: The site of Appliance Buyers Credit Corp. (ABCC) at Broad and Lake streets, St. Joseph, (lower left corner) is being graded in preparation for seeding of grass. It adjoins old Cooper, Wells and Co. hosiery mill location which was seeded last year. Whirlpool Corp. is owner of land. Donald H. Goetz, manager of corporate group facilities for Whirlpool, has said there are no current plans for the tract other than to seed and maintain it. (Aerial photo by Adolph Hann)

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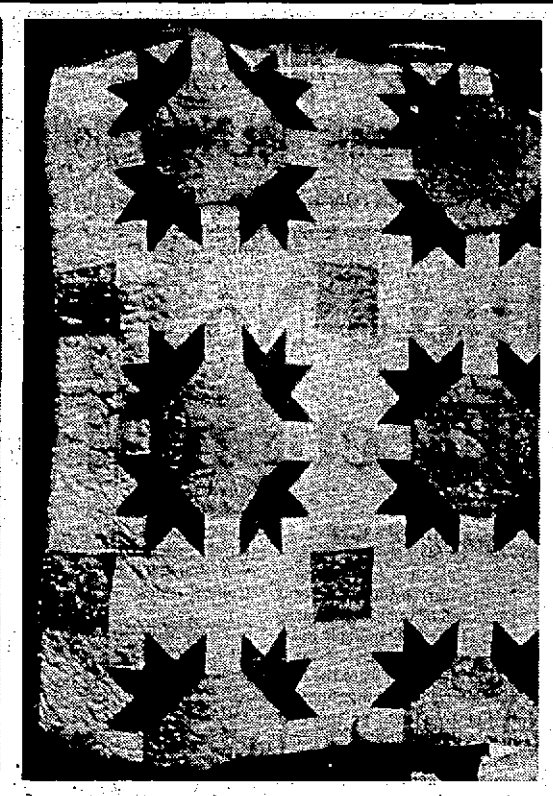
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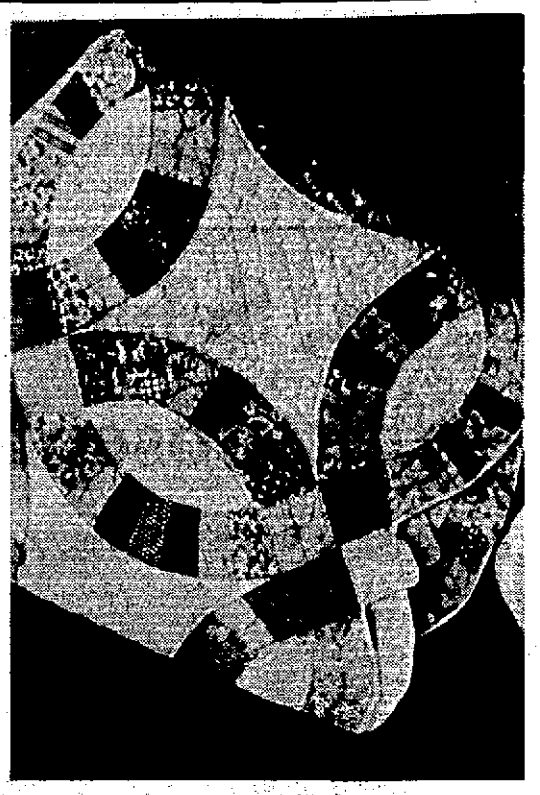
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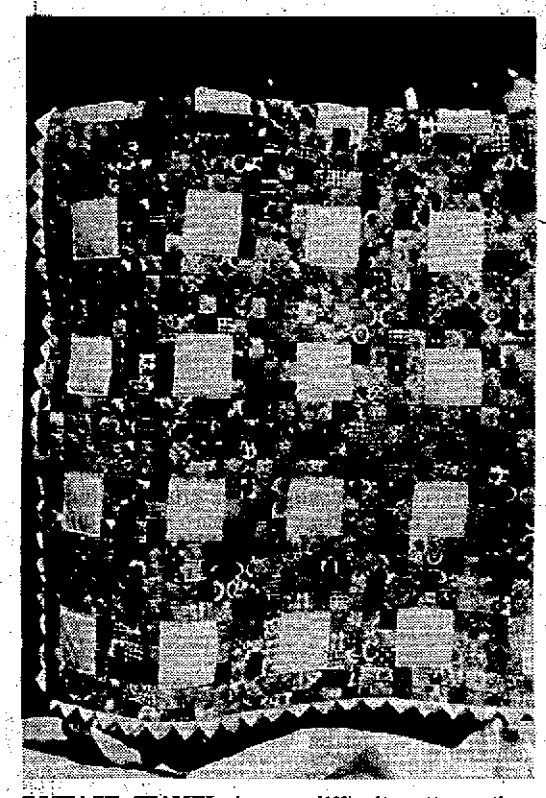
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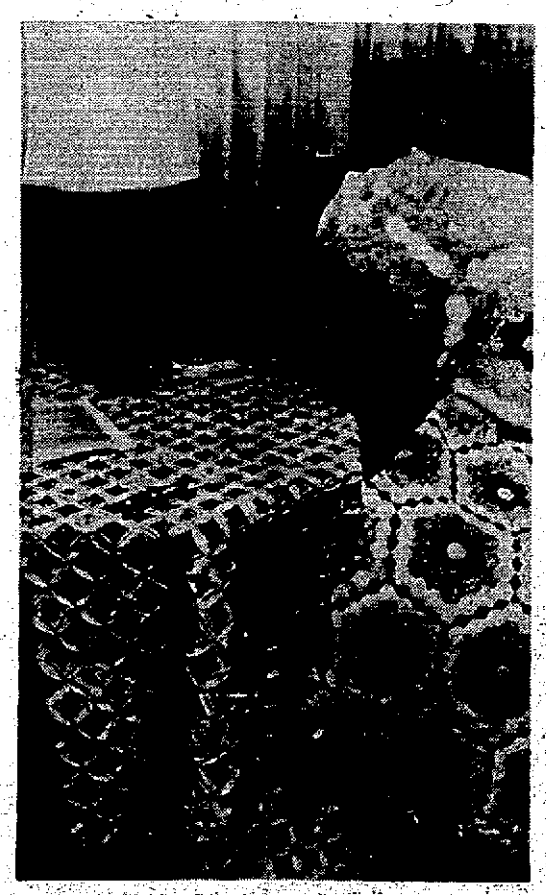
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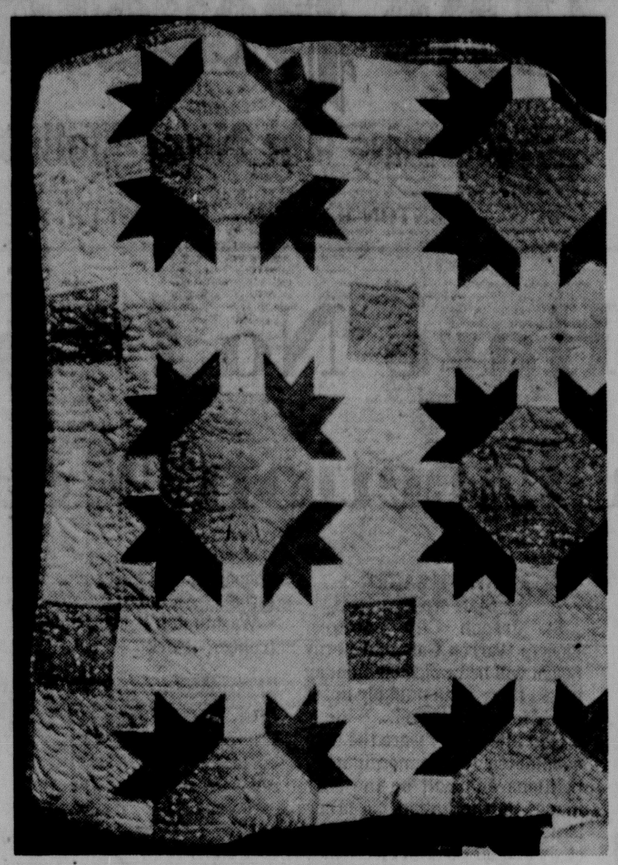
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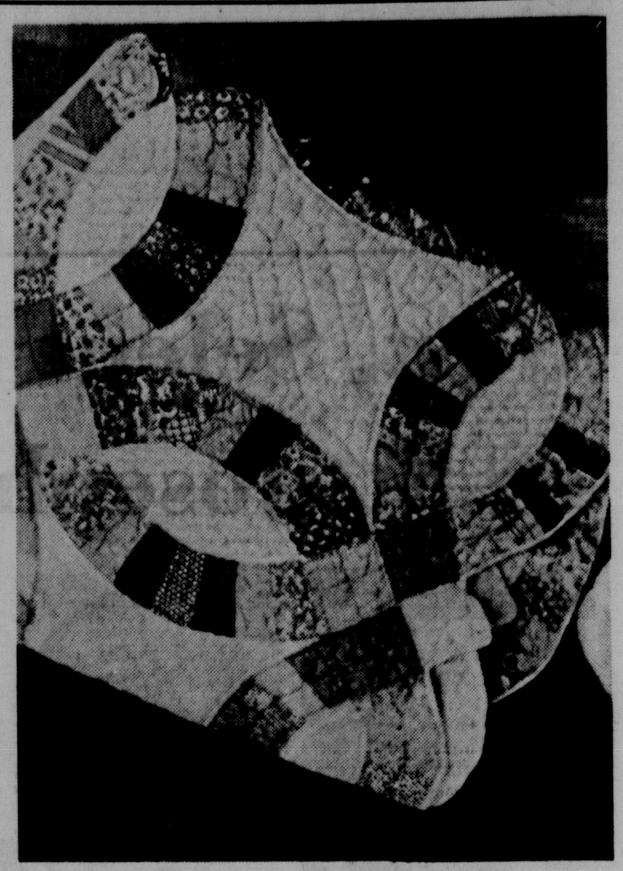


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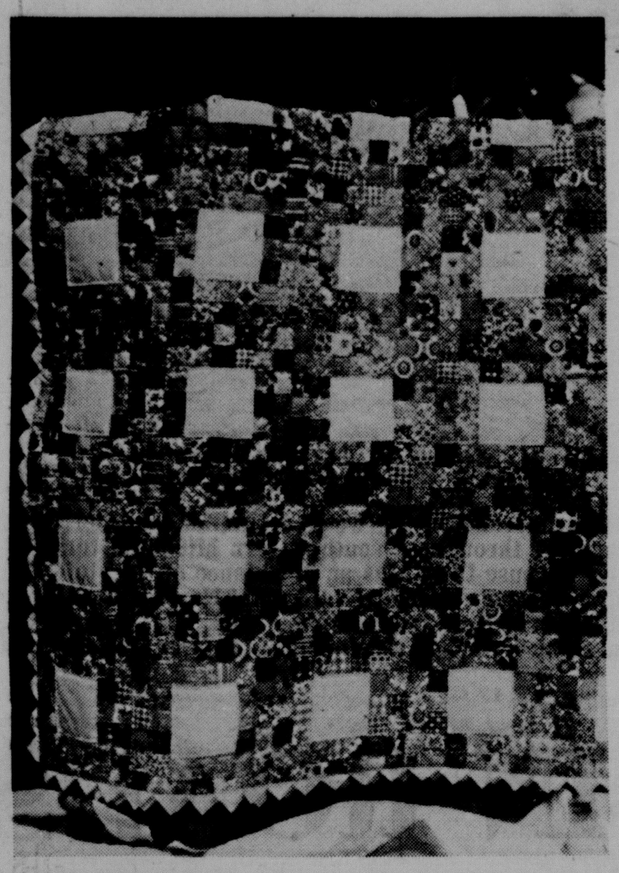


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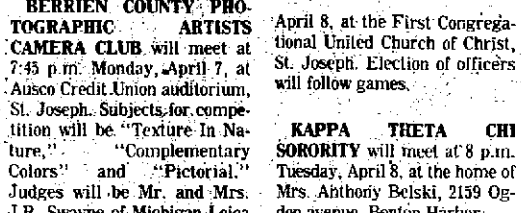
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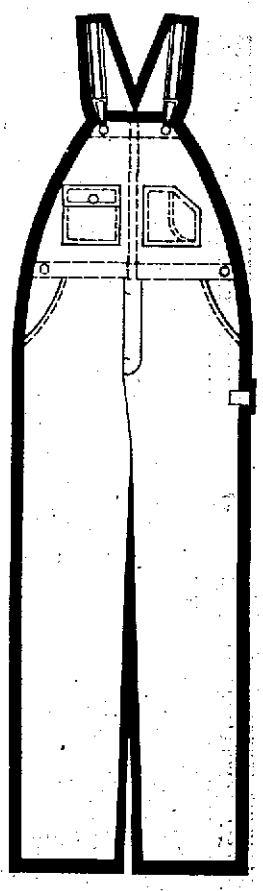
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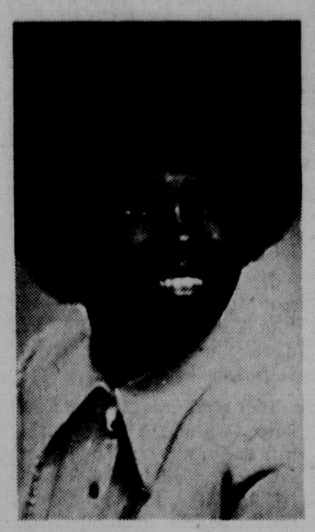


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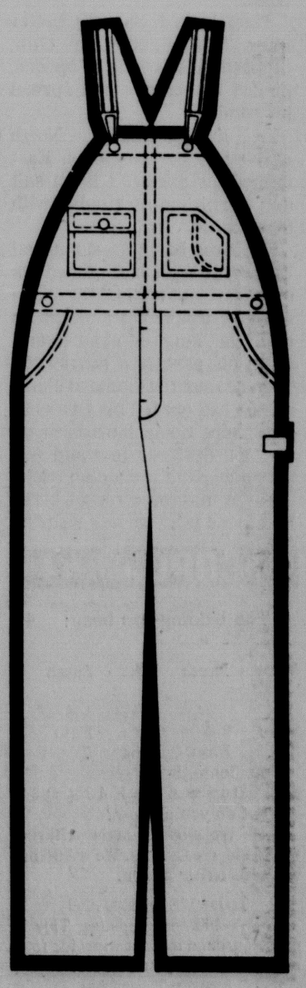


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Will you please print this poem by Edward Arlington Robinson? It has a lesson in it for all of us.

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He was a gentleman from sole to crown,

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And he always was quietly arrayed,

And he was always human when he talked;

But still he fluttered pulses when he said,

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My husband and I have three boys and we are dying for a little girl. I'd gladly have my left ovary removed if you told me it would work. Yes or no? — Want A Her

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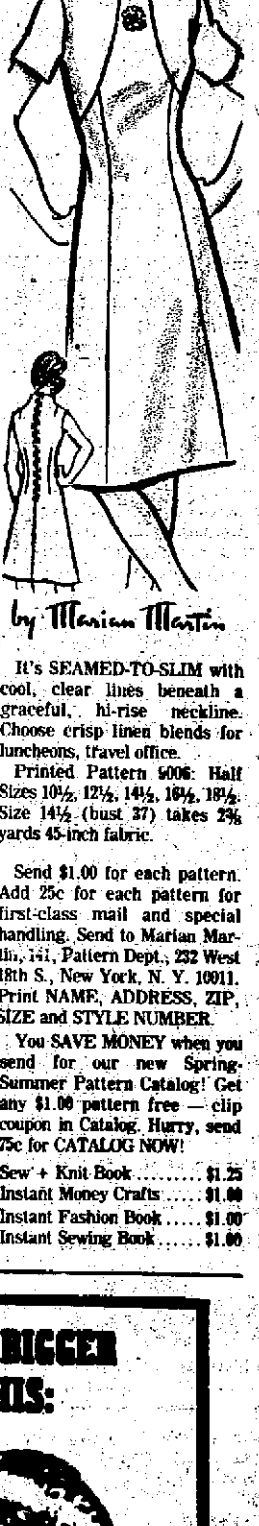
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"Skim milk" is not the same as "low fat" or "fortified skim" or even "two percent." Each one is different.

To Attend Men's Day

KEELER — Men's club of the United Methodist church will attend the annual Methodist Men's Day Saturday, April 5, at the First Methodist church, Grand Rapids.

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'Your Problems' By Ann Landers

Suicide: Who Knows Why?

Dear Ann Landers: The letter about suicide stirred many emotions in me. I identified strongly with the writer because many years ago I seriously considered suicide. Thank God I came to my senses in time.

Every now and then someone we know takes his (or her) life and all the relatives, friends and neighbors are shocked. That individual appeared to be so content — so fortunate! He seemed to have everything a person could want or hope for.

Will you please print this poem by Edward Arlington Robinson? It has a lesson in it for all of us.

Whenever Richard Cory went downtown,

We people on the pavement looked at him.

He was a gentleman from sole to crown,

Clean favored, and imperially slim.

And he always was quietly arrayed,

And he was always human when he talked:

But still he fluttered pulses when he said,

"Good morning," and he glittered when be walked.

And he was rich — yes, richer than a king.

And admirably schooled in every grace;

In fine, we thought that he was everything

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So on we worked, and waited for the light,

And went without the meat, and cursed the bread;

And Richard Cory, one calm, summer night,

Went home and put a bullet through his head. — A Friend Of Yours

Dear Friend: I first came across that poem when I was a high school freshman. It stopped me dead in my tracks. It did so again 40 years later and I thank you for the enriching experience.

Keep Ovary

Dear Ann Landers: You've printed several letters about all-girl and all-boy families. You also seem quite certain that there is no way a couple can preordain the sex of their child. Please check again. It means a lot to us.

My great aunt told me that the left ovary produces girls and the right ovary produces boys. She lost her left ovary at the age of



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28 and had three boys after that. Exactly the opposite happened to her younger sister.

My husband and I have three boys and we are dying for a little girl. I'd gladly have my left ovary removed if you told me it would work. Yes or no? — Want A Her

Dear Want: NO — it will not work. Moreover, no ethical surgeon would agree to remove a healthy ovary for the reason you mention. Forget it.

CONFIDENTIAL to Must Hear From You Immediately But Don't Print My Letter: No chance that I will print your letter. It weighed two and a quarter pounds. After forty pages I still couldn't define the problem. Please summarize the situation and I'll try to help you.

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Erma Bombeck



What Part Goes First?

I have the standard X-1115 model Boy that was mass produced in 1958.

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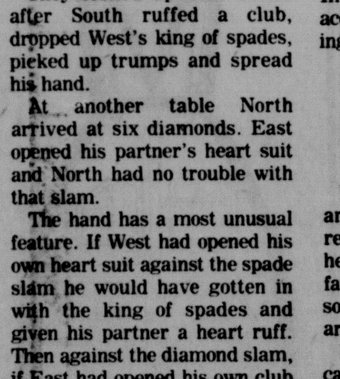
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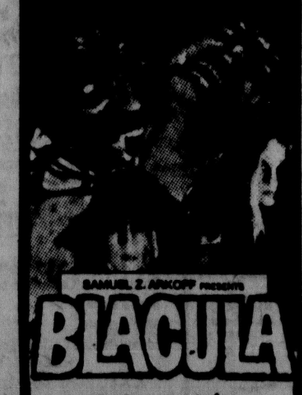


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Soviets Quietly Starting Sex Education In Schools

By LYNNE OLSON
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MOSCOW (AP) — Concerned by an increasing number of social problems connected with sex, the Soviet Union is quietly inaugurating sex education programs in its schools.

The programs which are conservative by Western standards, have not been publicized, and they exist only in a few cities.

But their introduction is considered revolutionary here, since they mark the first systematized attempts to instruct young people about a subject which, for the most part, is still off limits in their society.

It is virtually impossible to buy manuals about sex or marriage. Sexy novels, films and magazines are prohibited.

As a result, the relatively small number of youngsters who are given the opportunity to learn about sex in school seem to welcome the chance. ("They're very curious about the problems of love," says Dr. Lydia Bogdanovich, head of Moscow's Laboratory of Problems of Sex Education.

The laboratory, in operation since 1970, sponsors the sex education programs, puts out articles and pamphlets for youths, parents and teachers, and conducts research on sexual questions regarding young people.

Dr. Bogdanovich, a psychiatrist, and other workers in the laboratory recently agreed to talk with The Associated Press about their work, virtually unknown to Soviets and foreigners alike.

"We are trying to develop mutual interaction of the school, family and labor collective" in educating children about sexual matters, Dr. Bogdanovich says.

This is the goal, despite the still widely held attitude, particularly among parents and educators, that sex instruction "is a gross interference in intimate life."

"That attitude is profoundly misleading," says the youth newspaper Moscow Komsomolets. "For a long time, we didn't do or say anything on this subject. Due to this, problems didn't disappear, but on the contrary, they just became more complicated."

The problems include a large number of illegitimate pregnancies, soaring abortion and divorce rates, sex crimes and other maladjustments.

A survey published in a sex education book for parents and teachers, coauthored by Dr. Bogdanovich, says that 77 per cent of Soviet young people got their first information about sex from friends and acquaintances.

"When youths start to show interest in questions of sex, those who should be the first ones to help them — parents, teachers and doctors — remain aloof, not knowing how to give correct answers to the questions," the book says.

"Unfortunately, we still believe that it is considered 'bad manners' to talk about sex, trying to hide very natural things that worry the young generation."

For instance, when a small child asks where he came from, "parents begin to invent tales about the stork and cabbages."

One Soviet mother told an American woman she had informed her small daughter that the child had been found under a mushroom in the forest.

A Soviet father says he has never discussed sexual questions with his 16-year-old son and adds that he knows the boy is not "innocent." His son's loss of virginity doesn't seem to bother him. Premarital sex among teen-agers is "rather ordinary," he says with a shrug.

In a poll of 500 high school pupils, 52.4 per cent of the boys and 38 per cent of the girls said they thought premarital sex was all right.

Dr. Bogdanovich and other Soviet sexologists maintain they are aware of what is going on and are not happy about it, but want teen-agers to fully understand what they're doing before they start their sexual experiences.

Alexander Meliksetyan, a scientific fellow at the laboratory, says: "Our sex education differs from that of the West in that the West is concerned more with specific problems of sex as it is — information on what age to start sexual activities, contraceptives, etc.

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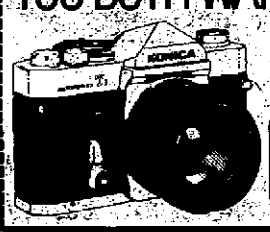
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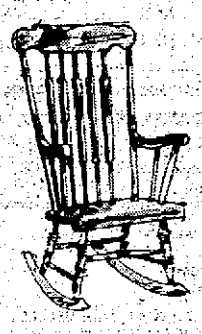
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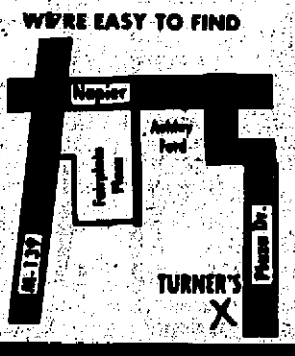


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Soviets Quietly Starting Sex Education In Schools

By LYNNE OLSON
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MOSCOW (AP) — Concerned by an increasing number of social problems connected with sex, the Soviet Union is quietly inaugurating sex education programs in its schools.

The programs which are conservative by Western standards, have not been publicized, and they exist only in a few cities.

But their introduction is considered revolutionary here, since they mark the first systematized attempts to instruct young people about a subject which, for the most part, is still off limits in their society.

It is virtually impossible to buy manuals about sex or marriage. Sexy novels, films and magazines are prohibited.

As a result, the relatively small number of youngsters who are given the opportunity to learn about sex in school seem to welcome the chance. ("They're very curious about the problems of love," says Dr. Lydia Bogdanovich, head of Moscow's Laboratory of Problems of Sex Education.

The laboratory, in operation since 1970, sponsors the sex education programs, puts out articles and pamphlets for youths, parents and teachers, and conducts research on sexual questions regarding young people.

Dr. Bogdanovich, a psychiatrist, and other workers in the laboratory recently agreed to talk with The Associated Press about their work, virtually unknown to Soviets and foreigners alike.

"We are trying to develop mutual interaction of the school, family and labor collective" in educating children about sexual matters, Dr. Bogdanovich says.

This is the goal, despite the still widely held attitude, particularly among parents and educators, that sex instruction "is a gross interference in intimate life."

"That attitude is profoundly misleading," says the youth newspaper Moscow Komsomolets. "For a long time, we didn't do or say anything on this subject. Due to this, problems didn't disappear, but on the contrary, they just became more complicated."

The problems include a large number of illegitimate pregnancies, soaring abortion and divorce rates, sex crimes and other maladjustments.

A survey published in a sex education book for parents and teachers, coauthored by Dr. Bogdanovich, says that 77 per cent of Soviet young people got their first information about sex from friends and acquaintances.

"When youths start to show interest in questions of sex, those who should be the first ones to help them — parents, teachers and doctors — remain aloof, not knowing how to give correct answers to the questions," the book says.

"Unfortunately, we still believe that it is considered 'bad manners' to talk about sex, trying to hide very natural things that worry the young generation."

For instance, when a small child asks where he came from, "parents begin to invent tales about the stork and cabbages."

One Soviet mother told an American woman she had informed her small daughter that the child had been found under a mushroom in the forest.

A Soviet father says he has never discussed sexual questions with his 16-year-old son and adds that he knows the boy is not "innocent." His son's loss of virginity doesn't seem to bother him. Premarital sex among teen-agers is "rather ordinary," he says with a shrug.

In a poll of 500 high school pupils, 52.4 per cent of the boys and 36 per cent of the girls said they thought premarital sex was all right.

Dr. Bogdanovich and other Soviet sexologists maintain they are aware of what is going on and are not happy about it, but want teen-agers to fully understand what they're doing before they start their sexual experiences.

Alexander Meliksetyan, a scientific fellow at the laboratory, says: "Our sex education differs from that of the West in that the West is concerned more with specific problems of sex as it is — information on what age to start sexual activities, contraceptives, etc.

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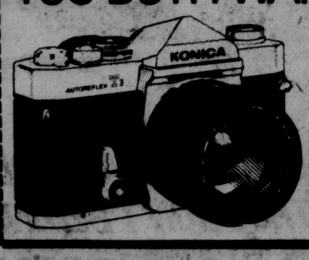
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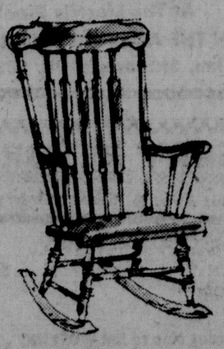
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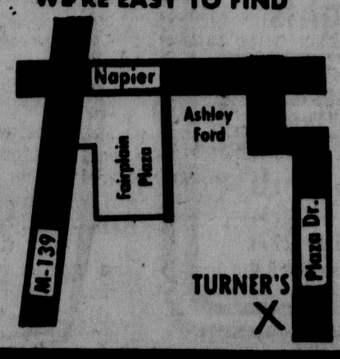


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Saturn is on the meridian around sunset, and Mars rises in the southeast about two hours before the sun returns.

CQ Congress Votes

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WASHINGTON — Votes of area members of Congress on key roll calls for the week ending March 29, 1975, were:

SENATE

Tax cuts — By a 45-16 vote, the Senate approved a compromise tax cut bill providing $8.1 billion in 1974 tax refunds and 1975 tax cuts of $14.8 billion for both business and individuals. The bill also granted each Social Security recipient a $50 bonus and repealed the oil depletion allowance for major oil companies.

Supporters of the tax cut bill argued the combination of tax cuts and bonus payments would give a $24.8-billion shot in the arm to the U.S. economy. They contended that these measures would shock the economy out of recession much more surely than President Ford's $16-billion package of 1974 rebates and business tax cuts.

Opponents cautioned that the bill would increase the federal deficit by more than $6 billion and risk setting off another round of inflation. They added that the $14.8 billion in the 1975 tax reductions would be felt too late to fight recession anyway.

Voting for tax cut bill: Hart (D).

Paired against tax cut bill: Griffin (R).

Farm Price Supports — The Senate by a 57-25 vote passed a bill to provide three-year increases in price supports for wheat, feed grains, soybeans and cotton, and one-year increases in price supports for dairy products and tobacco. A more limited one-year bill had already been passed by the House.

Agriculture Secretary Earl L. Butz has said he would recommend a veto of the farm price support legislation on grounds that it would be too costly to the government, would increase consumer prices and would reverse the trend toward free competition in farm markets.

Supporters of the bill contended higher price supports were needed to assure sufficient production at a time of slipping farm prices and rising farm production costs.

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The House later passed the tax cut bill by a 287-125 vote.

Voting not to recommit (delay) tax cut bill: Blanchard (D), O'Neill (Majority Leader).

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School Lunch Prices — By a 269-144 vote, the House defeated a proposal to roll back the price of a school lunch to 35 cents. The proposal would have required the federal government to subsidize the difference between the 35-cent price and actual cost, which averages 45 cents a meal.

Those supporting the price rollback argued that financially strapped families with young children needed additional help and pointed out they would use the money they saved to make other purchases, thus helping to stimulate the economy. Supporters also contended that other programs which provide free and reduced-price lunches to needy students would be in jeopardy without price cuts needed to attract more children to the full-price school lunch program.

But opponents objected to using the tax dollars of poorer Americans to subsidize lunch prices for children from middle-class families that could afford to pay the higher prices. They insisted that the government could find better uses for the $500 million it would take to roll back prices to 35 cents.

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Not Voting: O'Neill (Majority Leader).

Foreign Aid — The House voted 193-185 to pass a bill providing $3.7 billion for foreign economic and military assistance for fiscal year 1975.

The administration had requested $5.95-billion.

Supporters of the foreign aid bill argued that the funds would promote U.S. interests abroad and contribute to world stability, and that major cuts had already been made in the original amounts requested.

Opponents argued that the foreign aid program had done little to solve the problems of developing nations and that the U.S. could not afford to spend billions abroad while it was having economic problems at home.

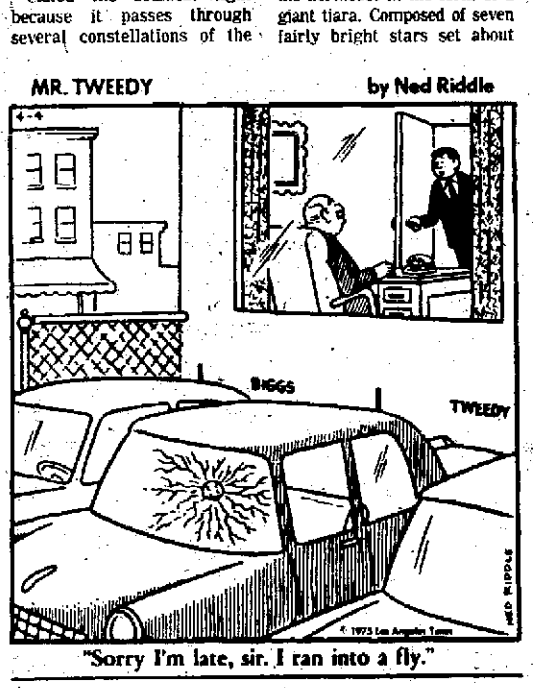
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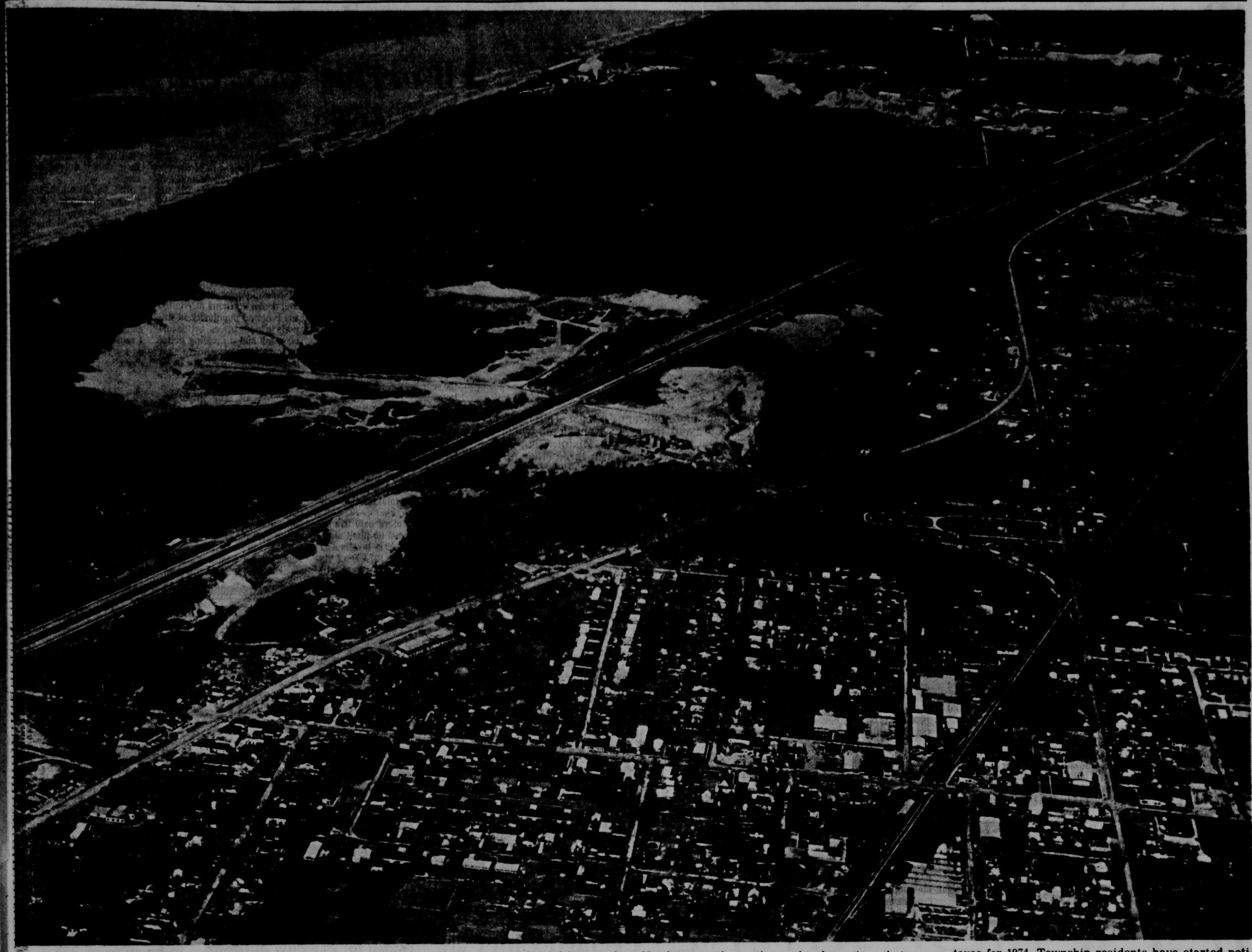
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CQ Congress Votes

BY CONGRESSIONAL QUARTERLY

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Foreign Aid — The House voted 193-185 to pass a bill providing $3.7 billion for foreign economic and military assistance for fiscal year 1975.

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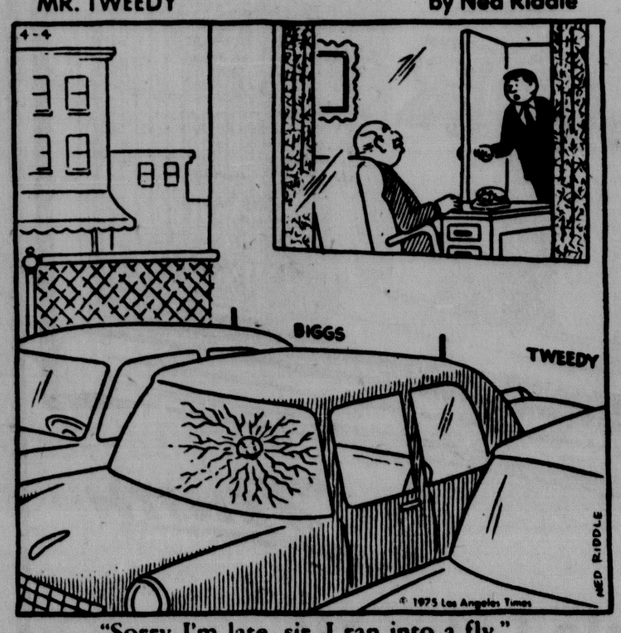
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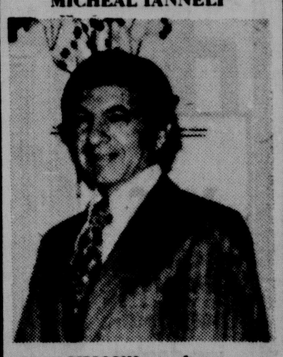
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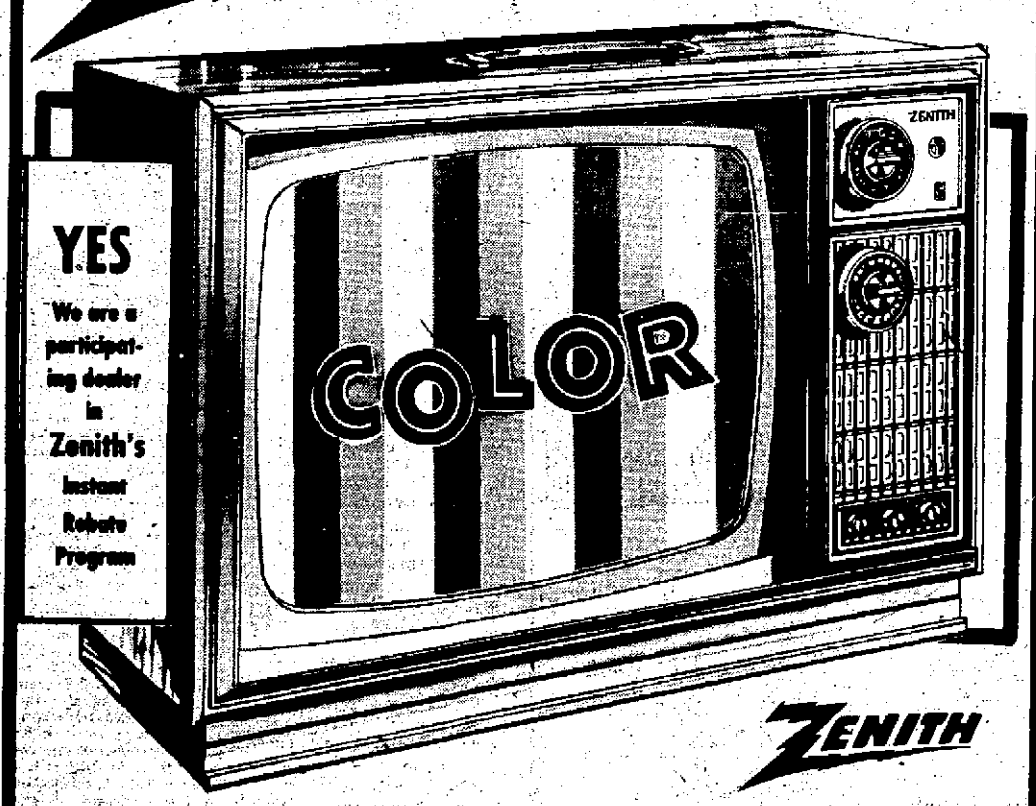
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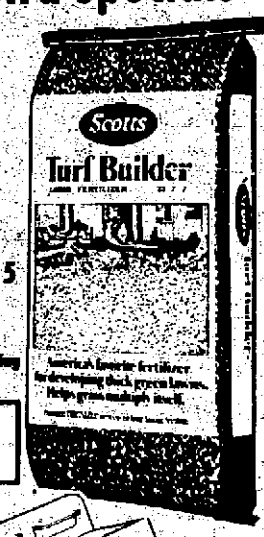
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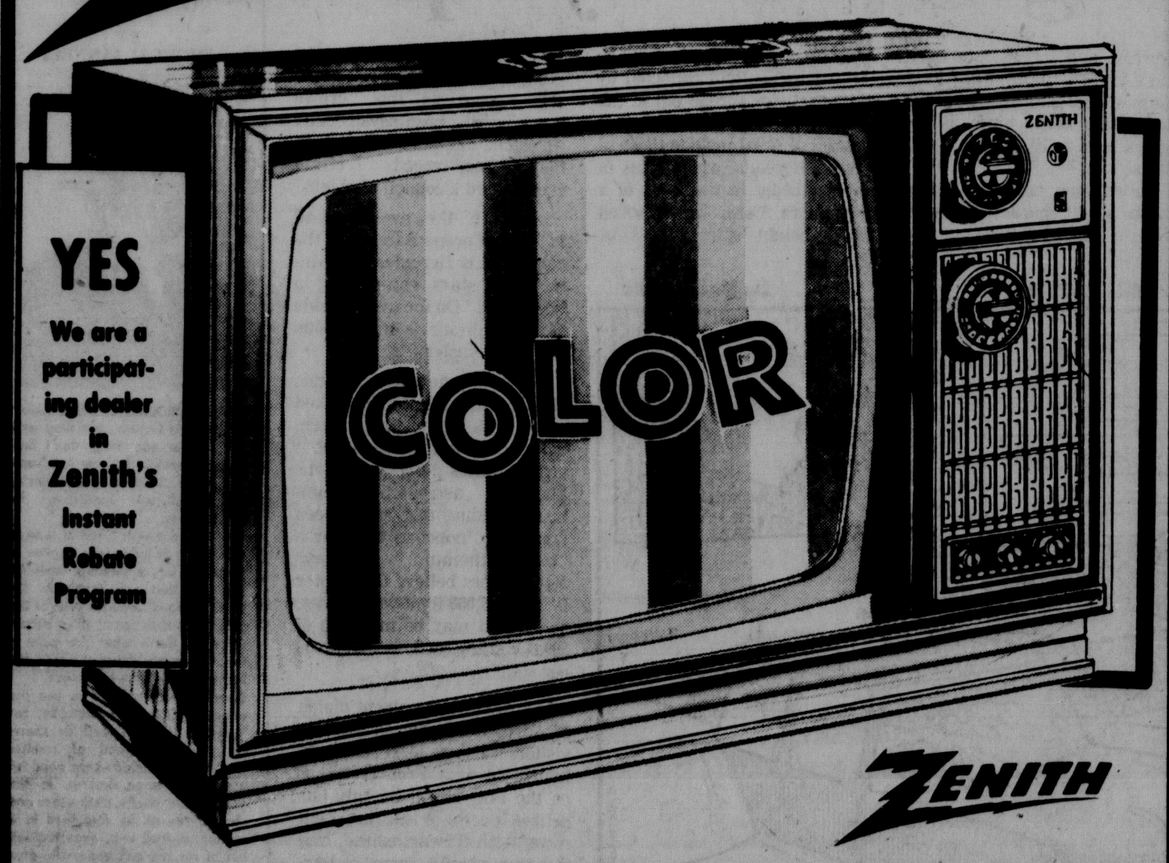
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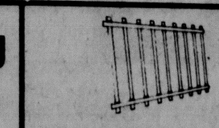


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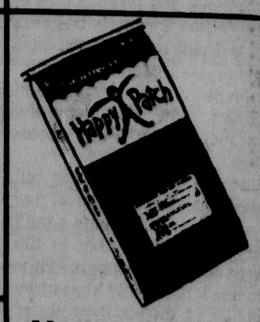
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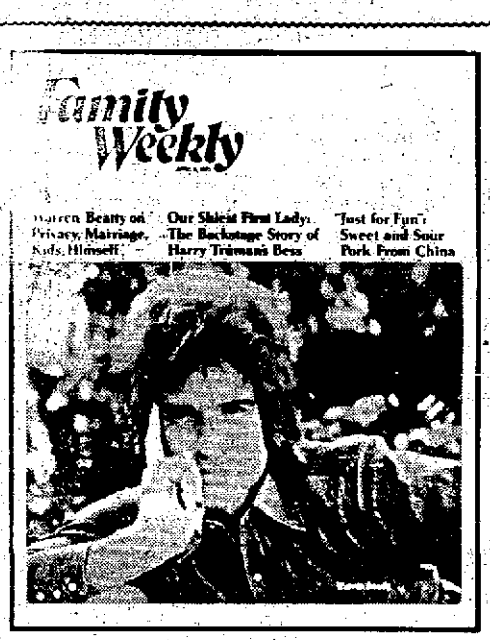
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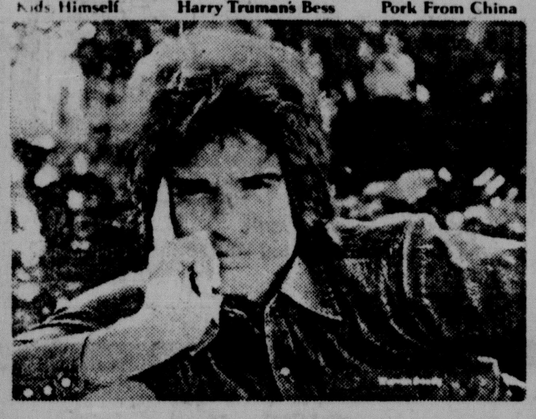
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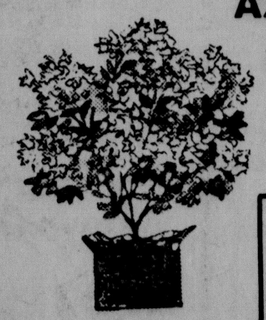
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"Michigan is feeling the effects of being too single-industry oriented (and) there is ample evidence to indicate that our state will feel these effects even more severely in future economic readjustments unless we move quickly and comprehensively to deal with the underlying causes," Damman told the 90 attending the dinner at Fidelman's restaurant.

"Although the automobile will remain the principle mode of travel for the foreseeable future, the Arab oil boycott demonstrated, with sudden and frightening clarity, the vulnerability of an economy too dependent on the automobile," Damman said from prepared remarks.

The lieutenant governor suggested two courses of action to deal with the state's present depressed economic status.

First, he urged the state's industrial leaders to capitalize on the search for alternate methods of transportation. Second, he called for "dynamic, imaginative efforts to diversify our industrial base."

Damman endorsed a proposal to create a job development authority which could make or guarantee low cost loans for job-producing industrial development.

He also called for major revisions in the state's business tax system.

The proposed business privilege tax would, according to Damman, "stabilize Michigan's business tax revenue, even within our existing economy, and in the long run reduce the need for future tax increases."

Damman pointed to four areas of benefit in the proposed business privilege tax: 1) a more simple system of taxation, replacing eight existing taxes with one; 2) a stable source of revenue; 3) a fairer tax; 4) a major stimulus to job development.

Damman said a proposed provision of the tax which would give a 100 per cent write-off in capital investment in the first year could prove to be a strong incentive to both existing and potential Michigan businesses to locate, expand and diversify in the state.

The lieutenant governor also cautioned against a tendency by citizens to rely on government to produce solutions to the state's economic problems: "This is unrealistic. Not only is government just one part of the equation necessary to such a massive undertaking, but government itself is made up of parts; parts which don't always see the same problems and the same solutions.

"Efforts to deal with Michigan's economy are going to require an almost unprecedented degree of cooperation both in and out of government," he added.

He called for an end to "lip service to bipartisanship" saying the state government needs "enlightened leadership."

"The time has come in Michigan for such single mindedness, for all of the factors in this complex economic equation to join forces against a common adversary," he concluded.

A. W. Roberts, executive vice president for the Chamber, reviewed accomplishments of the organization during the past year, pointing with particular pride to a sportfishing promotion labeling South Haven as "Lake Michigan's Hospitality Port."

Roberts also credited businessmen and governmental leaders for their role in making known the importance of keeping railroad service to the community.

Chamber President Donald Goodwillie Jr. discussed proposed projects for the current year, noting that a fundraising project would begin in May in an effort to raise a minimum of $15,000 toward the construction of a permanent office for the Chamber.

"The future of the Chamber in South Haven is going to depend on the success of this drive," Goodwillie stressed. "Its failure means our Chamber will dwindle and die."

BOYS AT VASSAR

Nude Photo Strip Cut From Yearbook

POUGHKEEPSIE, N.Y. (AP) — Some 25 pages have been removed from the Vassar College yearbook because they include pictures of nude students engaged in sexual intercourse and other activities. A picture of a nude male walking on a beach was allowed to remain in the yearbook, however. Jack M. Duggan, vice president of student affairs, said the excised material "was clearly obscene by anyone's standards." Among the photos was one taken, through a keyhole, of a couple engaged in intercourse and another of a male and female showering together, he said. Erica Ryland, student government president, added that an excised 12-page senior class history contained in the book was "full of libelous statements, pictures of nude students ... that were clearly obscene and could cost us a libel suit." Yearbook Editor TTaerry Grrubaer chaged the delettion of pictures was censorship.



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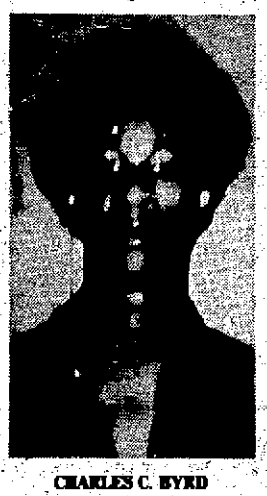
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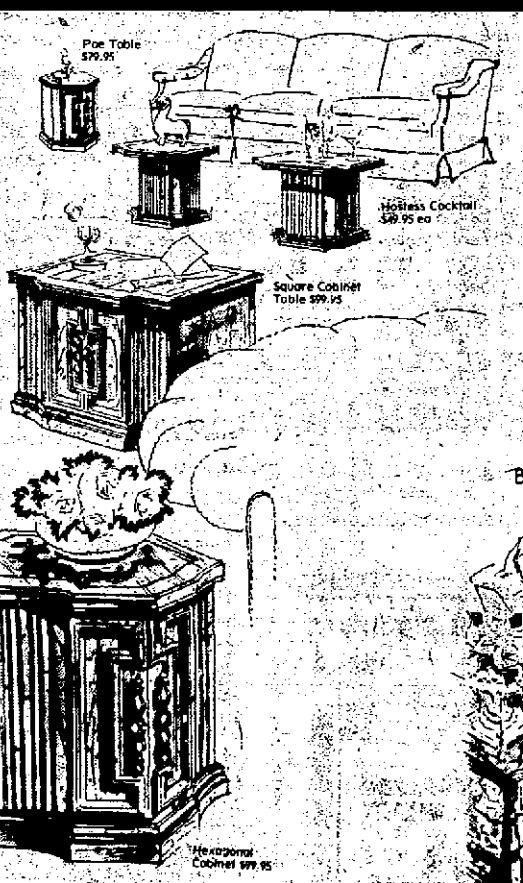


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"Although the automobile will remain the principle mode of travel for the foreseeable future, the Arab oil boycott demonstrated, with sudden and frightening clarity, the vulnerability of an economy too dependent on the automobile," Damman said from prepared remarks.

The lieutenant governor suggested two courses of action to deal with the state's present depressed economic status.

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The lieutenant governor also cautioned against a tendency by citizens to rely on government to produce solutions to the state's economic problems: "This is unrealistic. Not only is government just one part of the equation necessary to such a massive undertaking, but government itself is made up of parts; parts which don't always see the same problems and the same solutions.

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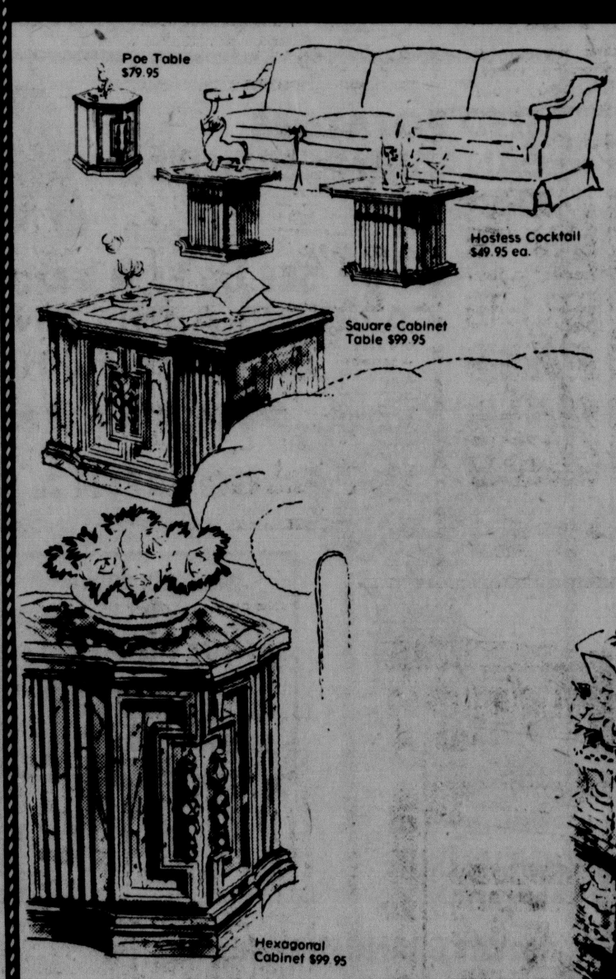
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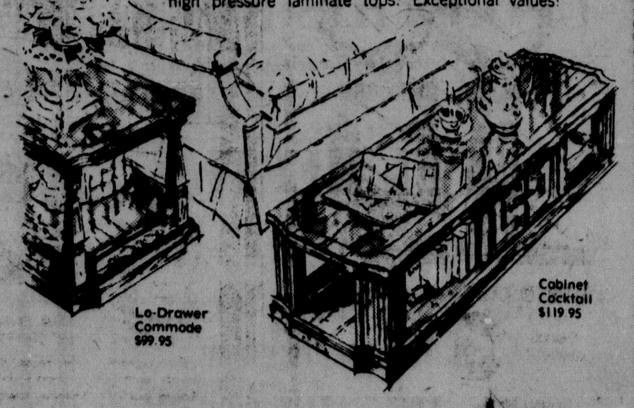


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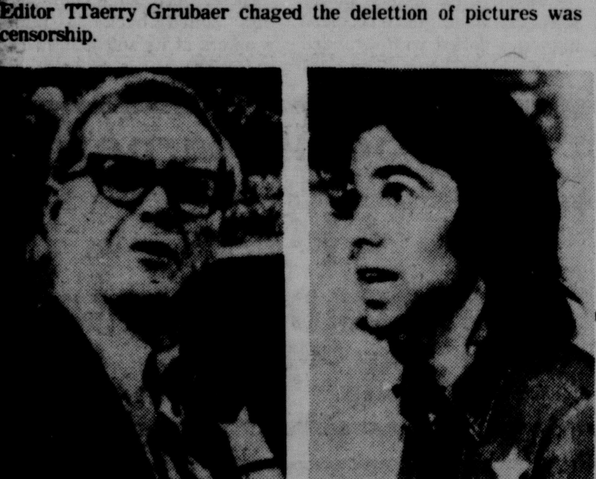


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REVIEWS FBI POLICY

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Justice Department is undertaking policy reviews on the FBI's information - collecting practices, gun control and on granting immunity to witnesses in criminal trials, Atty. Gen. Edward H. Levi says.

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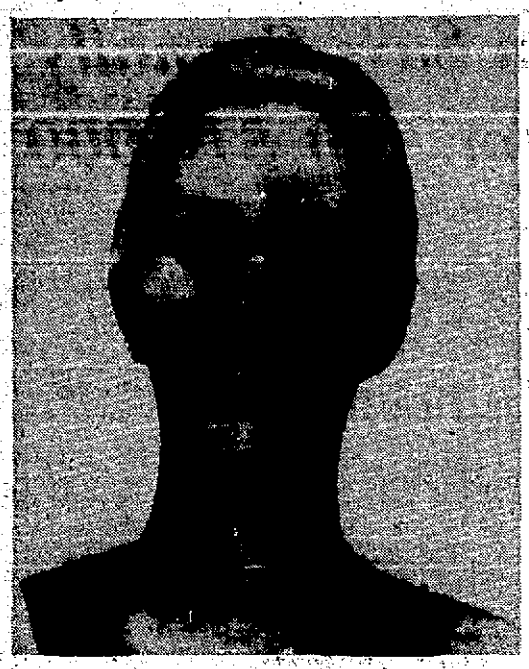
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Air Force Sgt. Jim Hadley, a medical technician from Sacramento, Calif., who also survived the crash unhurt, said, "You could see the hole in the back of the plane. You could see the sunlight streaming in.

"Things started flying around. Eye glasses. Pens. Pieces of insulation tore off the ceiling. The pillows exploded. They were plastic lined.

"That went off for a little while until the air stopped. By then the oxygen masks had dropped down."

He said "there weren't enough oxygen masks. We had to keep moving them from kid to kid. We kept on our own because otherwise you get drowsy and then you go out."

A nurse who also survived the crash and asked not to be identified said the orphans were "getting dopey from a lack of oxygen." She said she and the other adults "had plenty of time" and talked about "what doors we were going out of when we impacted. We didn't stand by the doors. We were feeding oxygen to the kids."

In Washington, a spokesman for the Agency for International Development, which is handling the airlift, said "the flight will continue." But Rep. Les Aspin, D-Wis., urged temporary grounding of all C5As because he said the plane "has never performed up to specifications." He cited wing problems. The plane is 248 feet long and has a 223-foot wingspan.

In San Francisco, Richard Blanchfield, the man coordinating the evacuation of Vietnamese orphans for the Friends of All Children, said when he heard the plane had crashed, "Oh, God. This is horrible!" Most of the orphans aboard the plane came from a Saigon orphanage operated by the agency, which is based in Boulder, Colo.

The crash was the fourth worst aircraft disaster on record. The worst occurred in March 1974 when 345 persons aboard a Turkish plane were killed in a crash outside Paris. The second and third worst tolls were 176, recorded both when a Soviet plane crashed near Moscow in October 1972 and when Jordanian jet went down at Kano, Nigeria in January 1973.

U.S. officials in Washington said it was the first fatal crash of a C5A, which the Air Force has been flying since 1970.

Witnesses told Associated Press correspondent Huynh Minh Trinh that they heard two explosions before the plane plunged into the paddy field.

The plane skidded through the field and exploded. After the impact the cockpit was lying about 100 yards from the fuselage and the tail section about the same distance away.

An hour after the crash, black smoke still billowed from the plane's cockpit. Air America and and South Vietnamese helicopters plucked survivors from the wreckage, taking them to the Seventh Day Adventist Hospital near the air base. The choppers also carried out the mangled bodies of children and Americans who were escorting them.

Fire trucks and other rescue vehicles were unable to get the crash site because of the narrow road that could only be traveled by foot.

More than 100 South Vietnamese militiamen were ordered to the crash site to provide security for the rescue operation.

American rescuers with sledge hammers and crow bars rushed to the crash site.

The plane, the biggest in the world, was rushed to Saigon today from Clark Air Force Base in the Philippines to inaugurate a U.S. government airlift of 2,000 Vietnamese war orphans to the United States.

The plane took off from Saigon's Tan Son Nhut air base at 4:10 p.m. and was 18 miles northeast of Saigon when the pilot reported that he has having decompression problems and would return to Tan Son Nhut.

As he was coming in, the Embassy reported, the left wing caught fire and exploded and the plane crashed a mile and a half short of the air base at 4:45 p.m.

Viet Crash Ranks As 4th Worst

By Associated Press

Reports of fatalities in the crash in Saigon today of a U.S. Air Force C5A transport carrying 243 Vietnamese orphans indicated it would be the fourth worst aircraft disaster on record.

U.S. officials said that 305 persons were aboard and that the fate of more than 180 was not known. They said about 100 orphans and 15 to 20 other persons aboard the plane were pulled from the wreckage alive, while the rest were either dead, injured or still trapped in the wreckage.

Records show that the worst aviation disaster on record was the crash of a Turkish DC10 in March 1974 while taking off from Orly Airport in Paris: 345 persons were killed.

The highest previous known crash toll was 176, a count that was recorded twice: when a Soviet plane crashed near Moscow in October 1972 and when a Jordanian Boeing 707 went down at Kano, Nigeria, in January 1973.

Other major aircraft disasters include the August 1972 crash of a Soviet plane in East Berlin — 156 persons killed; the explosion in flight of a Spanish charter plane over the Canary Islands in December 1972 — 155 killed; the crash in March 1969 of a Venezuelan DC9 airliner in a suburb of Maracaibo — 154 killed; and the crash in Tokyo Bay in February 1966 of an All-Nippon Boeing 727 — 133 killed.

OBITUARIES

Thomas Walton, Former BH Man, Dies Thursday



THOMAS G. WALTON

Thomas G. Walton, 61, an administrative assistant to the director of the Michigan Department of Labor, died Thursday at Pontiac after a long illness. Mr. Walton formerly resided in Benton Harbor where he was employed at Saranac Machine Co.

He had also taught in the Bardoa school system. Mr. Walton joined the State Department of Labor in 1960.

His other employment included the regional Wage Stabilization board in Detroit during the 1950s, and departments of social services in Kalamazoo and Pontiac.

He was a graduate of Kalamazoo college and American University of Washington, D.C.

Surviving are his widow, Dorothy; a daughter, Mrs. David (Kathleen) Riley, and a son, Thomas S. Walton, both of Berrien Springs; a stepdaughter, Mrs. William F. (Ruth Ann) Reid, Moberly, Mo. and a brother, J. Edward Walton, Berrien Springs.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Monday in Fairplain chapel, Florin funeral home, where friends may call after 4 p.m. Sunday. Burial will be in Crystal Springs cemetery.

Lakeshore Masonic lodge No. 298, will conduct services at the funeral home.

Memorials may be made to Berrien County Cancer Service.

Mr. Walton lived at 25820 Lois lane, Southfield, Mich.

Jackson Rites Set

Funeral services for Charles Jackson, 81, 202 Urbandale street, Benton Harbor, who died Thursday morning in Berrien General hospital, Berrien Center, will be held at 6 p.m. Sunday in the Carter funeral home, 2100 East 75th street, Chicago. Burial will be Monday in Lincoln cemetery, Worth, Ill.

The Finch funeral home was in charge of local arrangements.

Mr. Jackson was a member of Second Baptist church.

Hill Rites Set

Funeral services for Eddie Hill, 37, 349 Brunson street, Benton Harbor, who died Monday in Mercy hospital, will be held at 1 p.m. Monday in Mt. Zion Baptist church. Burial will be in Crystal Springs cemetery.

Friends may call at Robbins Brothers funeral home after noon Sunday.

Tillman Davis

Lee G. Davis, Benton Harbor, has received word of the death of his father, Tillman Davis, 96, Sparta, Tenn., on Wednesday.

Elmer Blanchard

GOBLES — Elmer Earl Blanchard, 63, Route 2, Gobles, died Wednesday evening in Allegan General hospital, after suffering an apparent heart attack.

Mr. Blanchard was a veteran of World War II and a member of the Stuch-Klintworth Chapter No. 36, DAV.

Surviving are his widow, the former Frances Otten; a son Allan, Plainwell; two daughters, Mrs. Shirley Wescot, Allegan and Mrs. Debby Knight, Otsego; a brother Oscar, Plainwell and a sister, Mrs. May Tibbets, Wyoming, Mich.

Funeral services will be held at 1 p.m. Saturday in the Gobles Robbins funeral home, where friends may call. Burial will be in Kendall cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Michigan Heart Association.

Harold Westphal

LAWTON — Harold Verne Westphal, 71, Box 114, Lawton, died Thursday in Borgess hospital, Kalamazoo.

Mr. Westphal had resided in the Lawton area 19 years.

Surviving are his widow Georgia; two daughters, Mrs. James (Delores) Butcher, Lawton and Mrs. Verl (Velda) Quick, Paw Paw and a brother Leon, Leesburg, Fla.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Monday in Prindle-Thompson funeral home, Lawton. Burial will be in Oak Grove cemetery, Lawton.

Friends may call at the funeral home after 7 this evening and on Saturday and Sunday from 2 until 4 and 7 until 9 p.m.

Bowman Rites Set

DOWAGIAC — Funeral services for Mrs. Erma J. Bowman, 80, of 204 Jefferson, Dowagiac, who died Wednesday in Lee Memorial hospital, will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday in Groner funeral home, Dowagiac, where friends may call. Burial will be in Harrison cemetery, Decatur.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Alice Dudley, Dowagiac; two sons, Ralph, Dowagiac and Edward, Lawton; a brother, Floyd Hendry, Rochester, Ind.; three sisters, Mrs. Bertha Wall, Fort Wayne, Ind., Mrs. Jenny Bozarth, Roann, Ind., and Mrs. Lucille Podell, Winamac, Ind. Her husband, Floyd Bowman, preceded her in death in 1968.

Lyle E. Morris

CASSOPOLIS — Lyle E. Morris, 84, Route 1, Cassopolis, died at 6:52 p.m. Thursday in Schato nuring home, Dowagiac, following a long illness.

Mr. Morris had been a car salesman for over 45 years.

Surviving are a son Hart D. Morris, Pontiac, Mich., and a brother Max Morris, Cassopolis. His first wife, the former Hazel Ball preceded him in death. His second wife, the former Mabel Sanderson, preceded him in 1973.

Funeral services will be held at 3 p.m. Sunday in Connelly funeral home, Cassopolis, where friends may call after 2 p.m. Saturday. Burial will be in Prospect Hill cemetery.

Masonic lodge No. 227, F&AM, will conduct graveside rites.

Edward N. Ritter

WATERVLIET — Edward N. Ritter, 76, Route 1, Box 771, Watervliet, died Thursday in Watervliet Community hospital.

Surviving are his widow Blanche; a son Joseph James, Hanover Park, Ill.; a daughter, Mrs. Frank (Lucille) Klusas, Orlando Park, Ill., and a sister, Mrs. J. H. (Ethel) Birdwell, Fort Wayne, Ind.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Sunday in Hutchins funeral home, Watervliet, where friends may call after 7 this evening. Burial will be in Fairview cemetery, Watervliet.

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South Vietnam Cabinet Resigns

SAIGON (AP) — President Nguyen Van Thieu announced today he has accepted the resignation of his cabinet and named the speaker of the lower house of the national assembly to form a new government.

Thieu made the announcement in a nationwide broadcast as tension mounted in the national capital in the aftermath of the huge military losses to the North Vietnamese.

Nguyen Ba Can, the speaker of the government - controlled lower house of the national assembly, was named to form the new cabinet.

The cabinet shakeup followed by a few hours a second roundup of supporters of former Premier Nguyen Cao Ky on charges of plotting to overthrow Thieu.

No action was taken against Ky, a former commander of the South Vietnamese air force who has the protection of his own security force. Ky denied he and his supporters were plotting a coup when eight of them were arrested nine days ago.



RALLYING: The Gaullist faithful, Michel Jobert, former foreign minister under the late President Pompidou, has created a new political party for nationalist-minded French. Jobert, noted for his sharp criticism of the United States, has never run in any public election.

Losers Drawing Winners

LANSING, Mich. (AP) — Here are the winning numbers in today's Jackpot Losers Lottery: 265748 and 517185. Losing Gold tickets in 10 different weekly drawings that bear either of these numbers at the top in the exact sequence win $1,000. The losing tickets can be from any of the following drawings: Jan. 30; Feb. 6, 14, 20 and 27; March 6, 13, 20 and 27, and April 3. Today's Jackpot Losers Drawing was the last to be staged by the Bureau of the State Lottery. It has been replaced by a new Triple Play, which takes the place of the old Jackpot game.

Tanker Breaks Up In Atlantic

NEW YORK (AP) — A Liberian tanker carrying a crew of 36 broke up in heavy seas this morning about 150 miles south of New York, the Coast Guard said.

A spokesman said, "The stern section of the ship is sinking and there is oil all over the water."

There was no immediate word on survivors.

The ship had radioed that she was "breaking up" in an S.O.S. received at 8:10 a.m.

The ship, the Spartan Lady, was carrying a load of No. 6 fuel oil.

POLICE ROUNDUP

Teens Face Break-In, Auto Theft Charges

Three St. Joseph boys picked a poor day to go joy riding.

They wound up Thursday being charged with auto theft and breaking and entering, according to officers from three Twin City area police departments.

Police said an allegedly stolen car got stuck in a snowdrift. Another auto, owned by one of the boy's parents, crashed into a utility pole in St. Joseph township after following the stolen car. The parents' car was being driven by one of the boys, police said.

The car police described as stolen is owned by Dr. D.W. Baker, 2211 Lake Shore drive, St. Joseph, where the breaking and entering occurred, according to St. Joseph city police.

A 16 - year - old boy was lodged at the juvenile detention center, Berrien Center. Two 15 - year - olds were released to their parents and will be petitioned to juvenile court, St. Joseph Patrolman Jim Reeves said.

One of the 15-year-olds also was ticketed for driving without a license and for leaving the scene of an accident.

Police said nothing was taken from the Baker home. St. Joseph township police and Berrien sheriff's officers also investigated the incidents.

Berrien sheriff's deputies said a swimming pool ladder and pump, assorted jewelry, three guns, two bicycles and a vacuum cleaner were stolen from the home of Charles Hoffman, 1865 Arcadia drive, Lincoln township. The loot was valued at $1,950, deputies said.

Benton Harbor police reported four tapes and a tape player valued at a total of $109 were stolen from an auto parked at the Colfax Inn, 163 Colfax. The items were owned by Jefferey Wilcox, 26, of 163 Colfax, police said.

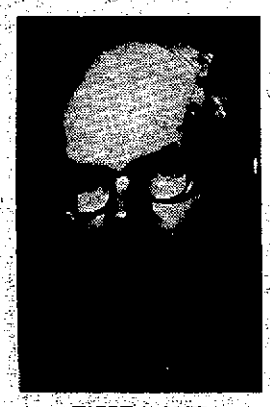
A Benton Harbor man was arrested Thursday night after a woman allegedly was threatened with a gun, city police reported.

Patrolman Tom Schadler said J.W. Jones, 38, of 395 Lincoln avenue, was charged with carrying a concealed weapon in a motor vehicle after Laura Lee Minor, 32, also of 395 Lincoln, allegedly was threatened with a gun.

Jones was booked and lodged at the county jail and a .32 caliber revolver was seized by police. Police were called at 9:14 p.m.

Harry Goff Will Head United Way Division

Harry A. Goff, retired manager of national sales for Auto Specialties Manufacturing Co. has been named chairman of the Metro B division of the 1975 Blossomland United Way campaign, according to Robert Molhoek, general chairman.



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Goff was a team captain in the professional division last year, responsible for the solicitations in hospitals in the BUW area.

Metro B is a new addition to the campaign structure, Goff said. The division will canvass employes in retail and manufacturing businesses with less than 20 employes in areas outlying from Benton Harbor and St. Joseph.

Goff said 11 section chairmen will be recruited to help conduct the drive which includes some 1,354 accounts. The division covers nine townships, plus national firms at Fairplain Plaza.

Goff currently serves as a volunteer in the Blood Program of the American Red Cross, Berrien County chapter. He and his wife, Hazel, reside at 1116 Sylvan drive, Benton township. A son, John, lives in New York.

Stevensville Wants Cut-Down Tree Replaced

Stevensville village council last night instructed village Atty. Thomas Adams to write a village resident requesting that he replace, if possible, a tree which the council contends he cut down.

The tree, according to the council, was located on village property on St. Joseph avenue at John Beers road and was last hard maple in the downtown area.

The council said the tree was cut down in February without council permission. The letter is to be sent to Rube Newman requesting that the tree be replaced with a six-inch diameter hard maple, if transplanting is possible.

In other business, Police Chief Richard Beck told council members as of May 1, all vehicles parked on private property in the village must be in running condition and have 1975 license tags or legal action will be initiated. Beck also reported, according to village ordinance, no firearms are to be used within the village. He said he has seen several violations, and as of now, the ordinance will be strictly enforced.

The council voted to post no parking signs on the west side and two-hour parking signs on the east side of Berrien street from Kimmel to Lawrence streets.

Fred Albrecht, building inspector, reported a permit is now required to bury a residential gasoline tank. Permits will be issued by Albrecht or Lloyd Bath, Tri-Unit fire department chief.

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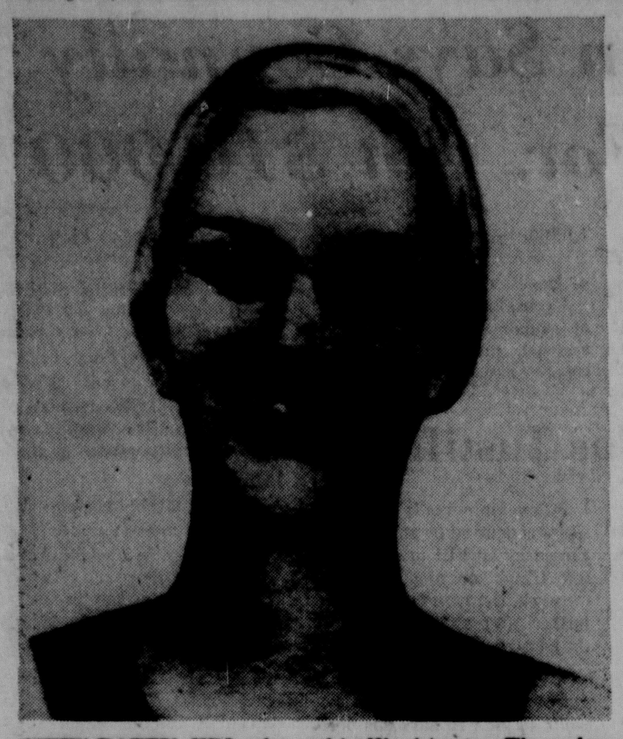
Both reported a total of 136 fire calls were answered during 1974 by the fire department. Total cost of operation for the year was $30,200.

Permission was granted to the fire department to hold its annual public auction on the village parking lot in July, and to the Lakeshore Lions club to sell white canes April 24-26 and to hold tag day on May 2-3 in the village.

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Police said an allegedly stolen car got stuck in a snowdrift. Another auto, owned by one of the boy's parents, crashed into a utility pole in St. Joseph township after following the stolen car. The parents' car was being driven by one of the boys, police said.

The car police described as stolen is owned by Dr. D.W. Baker, 2211 Lake Shore drive, St. Joseph, where the breaking and entering occurred, according to St. Joseph city police.

A 16 - year - old boy was lodged at the juvenile detention center, Berrien Center. Two 15 - year - olds were released to their parents and will be petitioned to juvenile court, St. Joseph Patrolman Jim Reeves said.

One of the 15-year-olds also was ticketed for driving without a license and for leaving the scene of an accident.

Police said nothing was taken from the Baker home. St. Joseph township police and Berrien sheriff's officers also investigated the incidents.

Berrien sheriff's deputies said a swimming pool ladder and pump, assorted jewelry, three guns, two bicycles and a vacuum cleaner were stolen from the home of Charles Hoffman, 1865 Arcadia drive, Lincoln township. The loot was valued at $1,950, deputies said.

Benton Harbor police reported four tapes and a tape player valued at a total of $109 were stolen from an auto parked at the Colfax Inn, 163 Colfax. The items were owned by Jefferey Wilcox, 26, of 163 Colfax, police said.

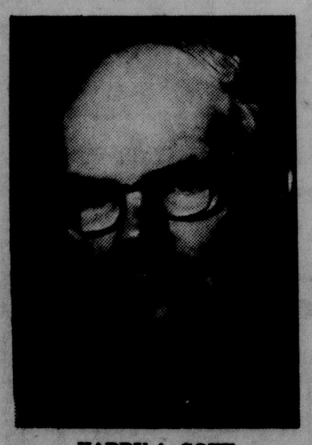
A Benton Harbor man was arrested Thursday night after a woman allegedly was threatened with a gun, city police reported.

Patrolman Tom Schadler said J.W. Jones, 38, of 395 Lincoln avenue, was charged with carrying a concealed weapon in a motor vehicle after Laura Lee Minor, 32, also of 395 Lincoln, allegedly was threatened with a gun.

Jones was booked and lodged at the county jail and a .32 caliber revolver was seized by police. Police were called at 9:14 p.m.

Harry Goff Will Head United Way Division

Harry A. Goff, retired manager of national sales for Auto Specialties Manufacturing Co. has been named chairman of the Metro B division of the 1975 Blossomland United Way campaign, according to Robert Molhoek, general chairman.



HARRY A. GOFF

Goff was a team captain in the professional division last year, responsible for the solicitations in hospitals in the BUW area.

Metro B is a new addition to the campaign structure, Goff said. The division will canvass employes in retail and manufacturing businesses with less than 20 employes in areas outlying from Benton Harbor and St. Joseph.

Goff said 11 section chairmen will be recruited to help conduct the drive which includes some 1,354 accounts. The division covers nine townships, plus national firms at Fairplain Plaza.

Goff currently serves as a volunteer in the Blood Program of the American Red Cross, Berrien County chapter. He and his wife, Hazel, reside at 1116 Sylvan drive, Benton township. A son, John, lives in New York.

Stevensville Wants Cut-Down Tree Replaced

Stevensville village council last night instructed village Atty. Thomas Adams to write a village resident requesting that he replace, if possible, a tree which the council contends he cut down.

The tree, according to the council, was located on village property on St. Joseph avenue at John Beers road and was last hard maple in the downtown area.

The council said the tree was cut down in February without council permission. The letter is to be sent to Rube Newman requesting that the tree be replaced with a six-inch diameter hard maple, if transplanting is possible.

In other business, Police Chief Richard Beck told council members as of May 1, all vehicles parked on private property in the village must be in running condition and have 1975 license tags or legal action will be initiated. Beck also reported, according to village ordinance, no firearms are to be used within the village. He said he has seen several violations, and as of now, the ordinance will be strictly enforced.

The council voted to post no parking signs on the west side and two-hour parking signs on the east side of Berrien street from Kimmel to Lawrence streets.

Fred Albrecht, building inspector, reported a permit is now required to bury a residential gasoline tank. Permits will be issued by Albrecht or Lloyd Both, Tri-Unit fire department chief.

It was voted to install lighting at the village parking lot off Center street at a cost of approximately $7.69 per month.

Both reported a total of 156 fire calls were answered during 1974 by the fire department. Total cost of operation for the year was $30,280.

Permission was granted to the fire department to hold its annual public auction on the village parking lot in July, and to the Lakeshore Lions club to sell white canes April 24-26 and to hold tag day on May 2-3 in the village.

Viet Mercy Trip Ends Tragically

(Continued From Page One)

the aircraft. This became critical to the point of almost losing control as the aircraft made its turn into the airport ..."

It was the fourth worst crash in aviation history and the first fatal one for a C5A.

Air Force Sgt. Jim Hadley, a medical technician from Sacramento, Calif., who also survived the crash unhurt, said, "You could see the hole in the back of the plane. You could see the sunlight streaming in.

"Things started flying around. Eye glasses. Pens. Pieces of insulation tore off the ceiling. The pillows exploded. They were plastic lined.

"That went off for a little while until the air stopped. By then the oxygen masks had dropped down."

He said "there weren't enough oxygen masks. We had to keep moving them from kid to kid. We kept on our own because otherwise you get drowsy and then you go out."

A nurse who also survived the crash and asked not to be identified said the orphans were "getting dopey from a lack of oxygen." She said she and the other adults "had plenty of time" and talked about "what doors we were going out of when we impacted. We didn't stand by the doors. We were feeding oxygen to the kids."

In Washington, a spokesman for the Agency for International Development, which is handling the airlift, said "the flight will continue." But Rep. Les Aspin, D.-Wis., urged temporary grounding of all C5As because he said the plane "has never performed up to specifications." He cited wing problems. The plane is 248 feet long and has a 223-foot wingspan.

In San Francisco, Richard Blanchfield, the man coordinating the evacuation of Vietnamese orphans for the Friends of All Children, said when he heard the plane had crashed, "Oh, God. This is horrible!" Most of the orphans aboard the plane came from a Saigon orphanage operated by the agency, which is based in Boulder, Colo.

The crash was the fourth worst aircraft disaster on record. The worst occurred in March 1974 when 345 persons aboard a Turkish plane were killed in a crash outside Paris. The second and third worst tolls were 176, recorded both when a Soviet plane crashed near Moscow in October 1972 and when Jordanian jet went down at Kano, Nigeria in January 1973.

U.S. officials in Washington said it was the first fatal crash of a C5A, which the Air Force has been flying since 1970.

Witnesses told Associated Press correspondent Huynh Minh Trinh that they heard two explosions before the plane plunged into the paddy field.

The plane skidded through the field and exploded. After the impact the cockpit was lying about 100 yards from the fuselage and the tail section about the same distance away.

An hour after the crash, black smoke still billowed from the plane's cockpit. Air America and and South Vietnamese helicopters plucked survivors from the wreckage, taking them to the Seventh Day Adventist Hospital near the air base. The choppers also carried out the mangled bodies of children and Americans who were escorting them.

Fire trucks and other rescue vehicles were unable to get the crash site because of the narrow road that could only be traveled by foot.

More than 100 South Vietnamese militiamen were ordered to the crash site to provide security for the rescue operation.

American rescuers with sledge hammers and crow bars rushed to the crash site.

The plane, the biggest in the world, was rushed to Saigon today from Clark Air Force Base in the Philippines to inaugurate a U.S. government airlift of 2,000 Vietnamese war orphans to the United States.

The plane took off from Saigon's Tan Son Nhut air base at 4:10 p.m. and was 18 miles northeast of Saigon when the pilot reported that he has having decompression problems and would return to Tan Son Nhut.

As he was coming in, the Embassy reported, the left wing caught fire and exploded and the plane crashed a mile and a half short of the air base at 4:45 p.m.

Viet Crash Ranks As 4th Worst

By Associated Press

Reports of fatalities in the crash in Saigon today of a U.S. Air Force C5A transport carrying 243 Vietnamese orphans indicated it would be the fourth worst aircraft disaster on record.

U.S. officials said that 305 persons were aboard and that the fate of more than 180 was not known. They said about 100 orphans and 15 to 20 other persons aboard the plane were pulled from the wreckage alive; while the rest were either dead, injured or still trapped in the wreckage.

Records show that the worst aviation disaster on record was the crash of a Turkish DC10 in March 1974 while taking off from Orly Airport in Paris: 345 persons were killed.

The highest previous known crash toll was 176, a count that was recorded twice: when a Soviet plane crashed near Moscow in October 1972 and when a Jordanian Boeing 707 went down at Kano, Nigeria, in January 1973.

Other major aircraft disasters include the August 1972 crash of a Soviet plane in East Berlin — 156 persons killed; the explosion in flight of a Spanish charter plane over the Canary Islands in December 1972 — 155 killed; the crash in March 1969 of a Venezuelan DC9 airliner in a suburb of Maracaibo — 154 killed; and the crash in Tokyo Bay in February 1966 of an All-Nippon Boeing 727 — 133 killed.

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OBITUARIES

Thomas Walton, Former BH Man, Dies Thursday



THOMAS G. WALTON

Thomas G. Walton, 61, an administrative assistant to the director of the Michigan Department of Labor, died Thursday at Pontiac after a long illness. Mr. Walton formerly resided in Benton Harbor where he was employed at Saranac Machine Co.

He had also taught in the Bardoa school system. Mr. Walton joined the State Department of Labor in 1960.

His other employment included the regional Wage Stabilization board in Detroit during the 1950s, and departments of social services in Kalamazoo and Pontiac.

He was a graduate of Kalamazoo college and American University of Washington, D.C.

Surviving are his widow, Dorothy; a daughter, Mrs. David (Kathleen) Riley, and a son, Thomas S. Walton, both of Berrien Springs; a stepdaughter, Mrs. William F. (Ruth Ann) Reid, Moberly, Mo; and a brother, J. Edward Walton, Berrien Springs.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Monday in Fairplain chapel, Florin funeral home, where friends may call after 4 p.m. Sunday. Burial will be in Crystal Springs cemetery.

Lakeshore Masonic lodge No. 298, will conduct services at the funeral home.

Memorials may be made to Berrien County Cancer Service.

Mr. Walton lived at 25820 Lois lane, Southfield, Mich.

Jackson Rites Set

Funeral services for Charles Jackson, 81, 202 Urbandale street, Benton Harbor, who died Thursday morning in Berrien General hospital, Berrien Center, will be held at 6 p.m. Sunday in the Carter funeral home, 2100 East 75th street, Chicago. Burial will be Monday in Lincoln cemetery, Worth, Ill.

The Finch funeral home was in charge of local arrangements.

Mr. Jackson was a member of Second Baptist church.

Hill Rites Set

Funeral services for Eddie Hill, 37, 349 Brunson street, Benton Harbor, who died Monday in Mercy hospital, will be held at 1 p.m. Monday in Mt. Zion Baptist church. Burial will be in Crystal Springs cemetery.

Friends may call at Robbins Brothers funeral home after noon Sunday.

Tillman Davis

Lee G. Davis, Benton Harbor, has received word of the death of his father, Tillman Davis, 96, Sparta, Tenn., on Wednesday.

Elmer Blanchard

GOBLES — Elmer Earl Blanchard, 63, Route 2, Gobles, died Wednesday evening in Allegan General hospital, after suffering an apparent heart attack.

Mr. Blanchard was a veteran of World War II and a member of the Stuch-Klintworth Chapter No. 36, DAV.

Surviving are his widow, the former Frances Otten; a son Allan, Plainwell; two daughters, Mrs. Shirley Wescot, Allegan and Mrs. Debby Knight, Otsego; a brother Oscar, Plainwell and a sister, Mrs. May Tibbets, Wyoming, Mich.

Funeral services will be held at 1 p.m. Saturday in the Gobles Robbins funeral home, where friends may call. Burial will be in Kendall cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Michigan Heart Association.

Harold Westphal

LAWTON — Harold Verne Westphal, 71, Box 114, Lawton, died Thursday in Borgess hospital, Kalamazoo.

Mr. Westphal had resided in the Lawton area 19 years.

Surviving are his widow Georgia; two daughters, Mrs. James (Delores) Butcher, Lawton and Mrs. Verl (Velda) Quick, Paw Paw and a brother Leon, Leesburg, Fla.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Monday in Prindle-Thompson funeral home, Lawton. Burial will be in Oak Grove cemetery, Lawton.

Friends may call at the funeral home after 7 this evening and on Saturday and Sunday from 2 until 4 and 7 until 9 p.m.

Bowman Rites Set

DOWAGIAC — Funeral services for Mrs. Erma J. Bowman, 80, of 204 Jefferson, Dowagiac, who died Wednesday in Lee Memorial hospital, will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday in Groner funeral home, Dowagiac, where friends may call. Burial will be in Harrison cemetery, Decatur.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Alice Dudley, Dowagiac; two sons, Ralph, Dowagiac and Edward, Lawton; a brother, Floyd Hendry, Rochester, Ind.; three sisters, Mrs. Bertha Wall, Fort Wayne, Ind., Mrs. Jenny Bozarth, Roann, Ind., and Mrs. Lucille Podell, Winamac, Ind. Her husband, Floyd Bowman, preceded her in death in 1968.

Lyle E. Morris

CASSOPOLIS — Lyle E. Morris, 84, Route 1, Cassopolis, died at 6:52 p.m. Thursday in Schato nuring home, Dowagiac, following a long illness.

Mr. Morris had been a car salesman for over 45 years.

Surviving are a son Hart D. Morris, Pontiac, Mich., and a brother Max Morris, Cassopolis. His first wife, the former Hazel Ball preceded him in death. His second wife, the former Mabel Sanderson, preceded him in 1973.

Funeral services will be held at 3 p.m. Sunday in Connelly funeral home, Cassopolis, where friends may call after 2 p.m. Saturday. Burial will be in Prospect Hill cemetery.

Masonic lodge No. 227, F&AM, will conduct graveside rites.

Edward N. Ritter

WATERVLIET — Edward N. Ritter, 76, Route 1, Box 771, Watervliet, died Thursday in Watervliet Community hospital.

Surviving are his widow Blanche; a son Joseph James, Hanover Park, Ill.; a daughter, Mrs. Frank (Lucille) Klusas, Orlando Park, Ill., and a sister, Mrs. J. H. (Ethel) Birdwell, Fort Wayne, Ind.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Sunday in Hutchins funeral home, Watervliet, where friends may call after 7 this evening. Burial will be in Fairview cemetery, Watervliet.

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South Vietnam Cabinet Resigns

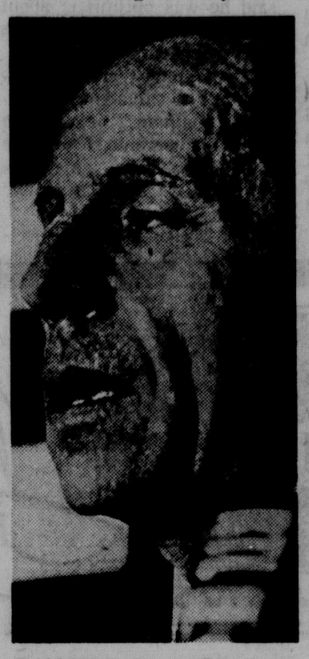
SAIGON (AP) — President Nguyen Van Thieu announced today he has accepted the resignation of his cabinet and named the speaker of the lower house of the national assembly to form a new government.

Thieu made the announcement in a nationwide broadcast as tension mounted in the national capital in the aftermath of the huge military losses to the North Vietnamese.

Nguyen Ba Can, the speaker of the government - controlled lower house of the national assembly, was named to form the new cabinet.

The cabinet shakeup followed by a few hours a second roundup of supporters of former Premier Nguyen Cao Ky on charges of plotting to overthrow Thieu.

No action was taken against Ky, a former commander of the South Vietnamese air force who has the protection of his own security force. Ky denied he and his supporters were plotting a coup when eight of them were arrested nine days ago.



RALLYING: The Gaullist faithful, Michel Jobert, former foreign minister under the late President Pompidou, has created a new political party for nationalist-minded French. Jobert, noted for his sharp criticism of the United States, has never run in any public election.

Losers Drawing Winners

LANSING, Mich. (AP) — Here are the winning numbers in today's Jackpot Losers Lottery: 265748 and 517195. Losing Gold tickets in 10 different weekly drawings that bear either of these numbers at the top in the exact sequence win $1,000. The losing tickets can be from any of the following drawings: Jan. 30; Feb. 6, 14, 20 and 27; March 6, 13, 20 and 27, and April 3. Today's Jackpot Losers Drawing was the last to be staged by the Bureau of the State Lottery. It has been replaced by a new Triple Play, which takes the place of the old Jackpot game.

Tanker Breaks Up In Atlantic

NEW YORK (AP) — A Liberian tanker carrying a crew of 36 broke up in heavy seas this morning about 150 miles south of New York, the Coast Guard said.

A spokesman said, "The stern section of the ship is sinking and there is oil all over the water."

There was no immediate word on survivors.

The ship had radioed that she was "breaking up" in an S.O.S. received at 8:10 a.m.

The ship, the Spartan Lady, was carrying a load of No. 6 fuel oil.

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Area Highlights

Word Due Tonight On Michigan Airlift For Viet Orphans

LANSING, Mich. (AP) — A group trying to bring Vietnamese orphans to Michigan should know "by tonight" when a flight will be made, a spokeswoman said.

"We should know tonight about trying to get a plane in," said Nancy Fox of Detroit, representing Adoptive Parents of Asian Children.

"We're still working on the possibility of being able to bring out some kids. We don't know how many or where they'll go," she said.

Commenting on the crash of a plane bringing Vietnamese orphans to the United States, she said: "We're just sick about it. You work so hard to do what you can to bring these kids over here. It's hard to explain the reason why something like this happens.

"We just have to go on the assumption it's a freak-type thing. I hate to say this is going to stop the rest of these flights because of what's happened. I hate to see us stop our plans and just forget about those kids over there."

Meanwhile, Michigan officials say they've been overwhelmed with offers of help for Vietnam war orphans.

"There has been an overwhelming response from people wanting to provide homes for these children but it is likely now there are more homes than refugees," said George Weeks, an executive assistant and press aide-to Gov. William Milliken.

"We are urging people not to call the state or county social services offices until we know when or if there is going to be an airlift," Weeks said Thursday.

Milliken was gratified at President Ford's announcement Thursday that $2 million will be released to the Agency For International Development to airlift 2,000 Vietnam refugees to the U.S., Weeks said. Those youngsters probably will be children with American fathers, he speculated.

"If there is an airlift, we understand the children will be flown to the West Coast. We do not know where they will go from there. Michigan has certainly opened its arms to them," Weeks said.

Milliken wired President Ford and Secretary of State Henry Kissinger on Wednesday, asking that they expedite the evacuation of Vietnamese orphans to America and saying Michigan would welcome them.

Hundreds of state officials, doctors, volunteers and private citizens are mobilized to care for the orphans if and when they arrive, Milliken said. A coordinated welcoming effort with food, clothing, medical care and housing can be in action in four hours, Weeks said.

Several private agencies have indicated the children could arrive in the near future, but state officials emphasize they do not know if the orphans are coming.

The state Social Services Department "is swamped by calls asking how to adopt or provide for children. There were several hundred calls today. But they had a backlog of offers, even before the governor's announcement yesterday," Weeks said.

Private groups assisting the South Asian war orphans:

—Holt Children's Services, P.O. Box 2420, Eugene Ore.

—Internationalen, 445 S. 68th St., Boulder, Colo.

—Emergency Committee to Save the Babies, Vienna, Va.

—Council on Adoptable Children, P.O. Box 40541 Palisades Station, Washington, D.C.

—Food for Children of Vietnam, Attn: Linda Conrad, 326 Coder St., Lexington, Mass.



FRISKY: These puppies are a mix of Wire-Haired Terrier and Beagle and they are best described as "very frisky and friendly." They are from a big litter and are lodged with their brothers and sisters at the Humane Society of Southwestern Michigan awaiting adoption. The society's shelter is at 641 South Crystal avenue, Benton township. (Staff photo)

Spring Fashion Show At Sawyer Tonight

SAWYER — The spring fashion show, "Swinging Into Spring," sponsored by the Sawyer Trinity Lutheran school Parent-Teacher League, will be held at 8 o'clock tonight at the church school. The event was originally scheduled for April 2 but was cancelled due to the weather. Fashions to be featured will be from the Stretch and Sew Shop, St. Joseph. Proceeds will be used to purchase playground equipment for the school.

Buchanan Men Held After Fire

BUCHANAN — Two Buchanan men have been arrested in connection with a fire that destroyed the Red Bud Inn north of here last Sunday, according to Lt. Richard Heminger of the Berrien county sheriff's department Galien substation. Heminger said warrants charging the pair with arson will be sought today. Lodged in the county jail are Roger Gray, 20, Artic street, and John Brittin Jr., 29, 3106 Ross drive, both of Buchanan, and former renters of an upstairs apartment at the Inn when a fire destroyed the apartment Feb. 15.

Heminger said the two men were taken into custody in connection with the second fire at the Inn, which destroyed the first floor restaurant - tavern.

According to Heminger, Gray "came in to talk to us yesterday afternoon after 5 p.m." Brittin was picked up at his home later last night, Heminger said.

During the first fire in the upstairs apartment it was reported that both men had to jump from a second story window after hearing an explosion in the kitchen area of the apartment. Buchanan township fire department officials attributed cause of the first fire to an explosion in a gas furnace in the apartment's kitchen area, according to Heminger.

Owner of the Red Bud Inn is James Gideon, 1735 Gulf View, Fairplain. The tavern was in the process of being remodeled from smoke and water damage caused in extinguishing the first fire when the second fire destroyed the tavern's first floor.

PHONE BILL

MONROE, Mich. (AP) — A civil suit filed in district court by Monroe County against former District Court Judge Charles J. Golden seeks $368.16 for what county officials say were personal phone calls made by him while he was judge and billed to his courthouse phone.

South Haven Unemployment Claims Set New Records

SOUTH HAVEN — Unemployment claims at the South Haven office of the Michigan Employment Security commission reached record proportions during March, according to manager James Walter.

The South Haven office, which serves residents of southwestern Allegan county and northern Van Buren county issued 7,681 checks valued at $873,303.50 during March.

The number of checks is usually about twice the number of applicants for unemployment benefits because recipients are paid twice a month.

Previous highs for the South Haven office had been 7,616 checks in January and $765,081 in benefits during February.

In March, 1974, the South Haven office issued 2,636 checks valued at $226,276.

The number of checks and amount of benefits paid out are generally a reflection of unemployment rates in the area.



BERRIEN SPRINGS BOUND: Vietnamese orphan Ohnma Lisa, 13 months old, yawns unconcerned while being snuggled by nurse Mary Fisher in a Sacramento, Calif., home yesterday. The baby is to be adopted by Mr. and Mrs. Lim G. Wong of Berrien Springs. Mr. Wong is fifth grade teacher at Lakeshore school district's Hollywood school in Stevensville. Mrs. Fisher helped bring six of 55 orphans on flight from war-torn country. (AP Wirephoto)

Van Buren Births Dip In '74; More Are Illegitimate

By DENNIS COGSWELL
Paw Paw Bureau

HARTFORD — The Van Buren county birth rate is declining, but the rate of illegitimate births is on the increase, according to Dr. James Davis, county health department director.

From figures gathered through the first 11 months of 1974, Van Buren ranked 12th among the state's 83 counties in illegitimate births with 121 per 1,000 population, Davis said. Wayne county was first at 230 per 1,000, followed by Lake county at 217, and Berrien county at 211.

During the January-November 1974 period, 108 of the 891 births to county women were illegitimate, about 12 per cent. By comparison, the number of children born to unwed Van Buren mothers in 1960 was three per cent, 6 per cent in 1965, and 10.1 per cent in 1971.

Davis said he believes the increase in births out of wedlock is part of a nationwide trend toward sexual permissiveness in a changing moral climate.

"There are more people engaging in sexual activity at an earlier age," he commented.

Although the Van Buren illegitimacy rate is below the statewide average of 136 per 1,000 population, Davis feels inroads can be made into the problem by improved health education programs within the schools.

"My feeling is that all school districts should have well-developed health education programs that would start with kindergartenand end up in grade 12.

In going through the schools, I've found they just haven't done it."

Davis added that health education should be on a weekly rather than spot basis, "just like reading, writing and arithmetic." He said his idea was not to encourage sexual promiscuity, but rather to enable young people who have opted for a lifestyle which includes frequent sexual activity to protect themselves.

Davis said predictions that Van Buren was due for a "baby boom" were false, and that the birth rate was actually declining.

He supplied figures which showed that with a population of 48,395 in 1960, the county had 1,107 births. The figure fell off to 1,075 births and a population of 56,173 in 1970, with the 1974 figures expected to be a population of 60,500 and births estimated at about 970.

The state birth rate of 15.5 births per 1,000 population in 1974 was just above the national rate of 14.8, he said.

According to 1973 figures, the latest available, Van Buren ranked 34th in divorce and 38th in marriage rates among the state's counties, Davis said.



DR. AMES DAVIS
Programs needed

Watervliet Ambulance Service Meeting Delayed By Heavy Snow

WATERVLIET — A meeting to review various proposals for supplying Watervliet city and township and Bainbridge township with ambulance service was cancelled last night due to the heavy snowfall. Albert Steffens, ambulance committee chairman, said a new meeting date will be announced early next week. Ambulance service provided by a private funeral director in the area, will end June 30, according to Steffens.

SOUTH HAVEN TOWNSHIP

Petitioners Protest Landfill

By TOM RENNER
South Haven Correspondent

SOUTH HAVEN — A petition objecting to the establishment of a sanitary landfill in South Haven township by the city of South Haven has been presented to the township board.

The petition was signed by 419 registered township voters, according to township Clerk Franklin Torp. The township has about 1,900 registered voters, he said.

The township, which blocked a similar move by the city in 1972, has referred the city proposal to its attorney.

The petitions were submitted Wednesday night. South Haven city council last month approved the purchase of a 35-acre tract of land near 12th avenue and I-196 in South Haven township.

City officials have proposed the land as a sanitary landfill site, but a 1962 township ordinance has a stipulation that prohibits the placing of any debris from outside the township on land in the township.

In 1972, the township refused to waive the stipulation when the city attempted to purchase another tract of land as a landfill site.

The petition opposes creation of the landfill, citing a potential danger to public health, probable decreases in property values and the possibility of creating a public and private nuisance.

Township Supervisor Clifford Klapp noted that the city has not applied for a permit to establish the landfill.

The permit is required by township ordinance.

In other action by the township board Wednesday night, a building permit fee schedule was adopted.

The fee schedule coincides with those adopted by most other Van Buren township boards.

The fee is as follows: residential and commercial, $30 basic charge plus four cents per square foot up to 2,500 square feet and two cents per additional square foot thereafter; remodeling projects over $200 and garage construction, $10 basic charge plus two cents per square foot; new mobile homes, $10; moving of buildings, $15 basic charge plus two cents per square foot on the ground floor; residential towers (television, radio, etc.) over 12.5 feet, $10.

The board also approved paying building inspector Donald Getman 75 per cent of fees collected with the balance going toward administrative expenses.

Dr. James Davis, medical director of the Van Buren county health department, presented a formal verbal request that the township consider renting space in the township hall to several county agencies.

Dr. Davis noted that the county hasservices available to all its citizens, but that there has been a historical problem of accessibility for residents of the western portion of the county.

The county has proposed to locate representatives of its social services, mental health, probate court (juvenile) and health departments at the South Haven location. The township is presently utilizing only about two-thirds of its building.

The board decided to seek public opinion on the request at its annual meeting which will be held this Saturday at 1:30 p.m.

The board voted to change its regular monthly meeting date from the first to second Wednesday beginning in April.

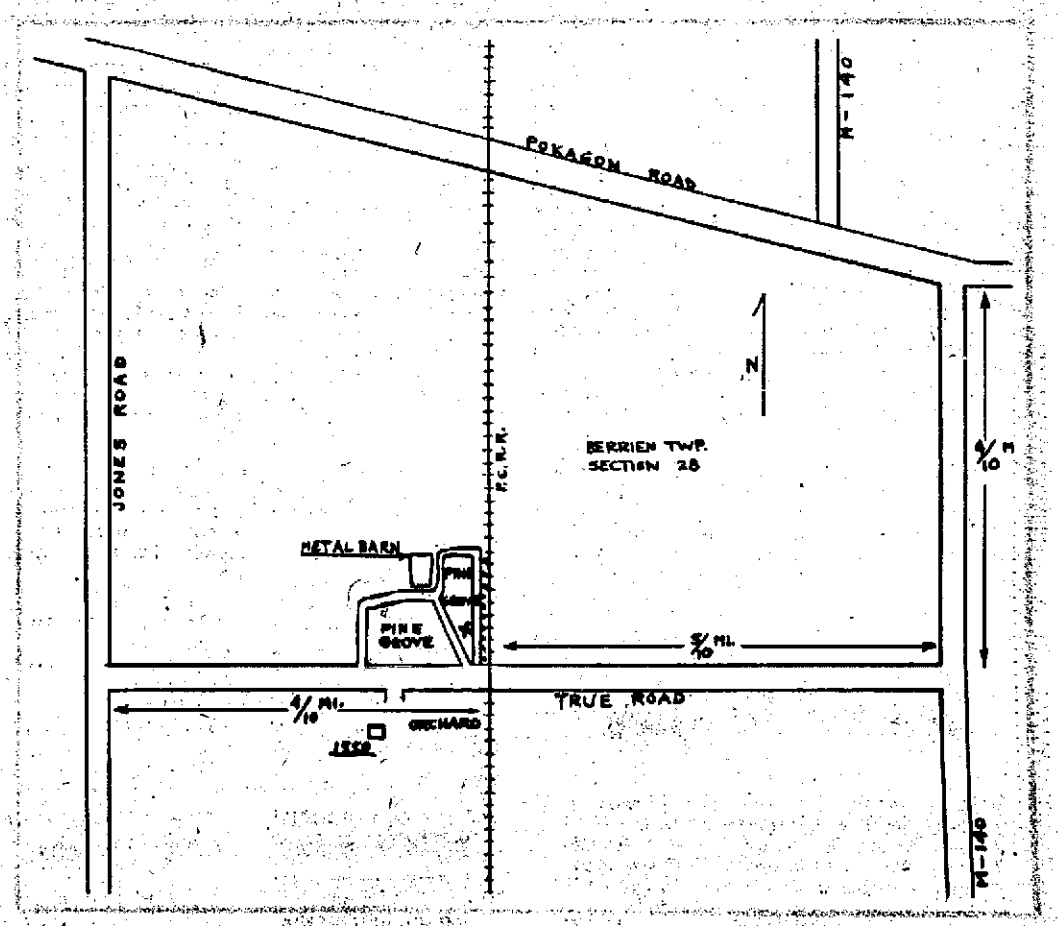
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Area Highlights

Word Due Tonight On Michigan Airlift For Viet Orphans

LANSING, Mich. (AP) — A group trying to bring Vietnamese orphans to Michigan should know "by tonight" when a flight will be made, a spokeswoman said.

"We should know tonight about trying to get a plane in," said Nancy Fox of Detroit, representing Adoptive Parents of Asian Children.

"We're still working on the possibility of being able to bring out some kids. We don't know how many or where they'll go," she said.

Commenting on the crash of a plane bringing Vietnamese orphans to the United States, she said: "We're just sick about it. You work so hard to do what you can to bring these kids over here. It's hard to explain the reason why something like this happens.

"We just have to go on the assumption it's a freak-type thing. I hate to say this is going to stop the rest of these flights because of what's happened. I hate to see us stop our plans and just forget about those kids over there."

Meanwhile, Michigan officials say they've been overwhelmed with offers of help for Vietnam war orphans.

"There has been an overwhelming response from people wanting to provide homes for these children but it is likely now there are more homes than refugees," said George Weeks, an executive assistant and press aide to Gov. William Milliken.

"We are urging people not to call the state or county social services offices until we know when or if there is going to be an airlift," Weeks said Thursday.

Milliken was gratified at President Ford's announcement Thursday that $2 million will be released to the Agency For International Development to airlift 2,000 Vietnam refugees to the U.S., Weeks said. Those youngsters probably will be children with American fathers, he speculated.

"If there is an airlift, we understand the children will be flown to the West Coast. We do not know where they will go from there. Michigan has certainly opened its arms to them," Weeks said.

Milliken wired President Ford and Secretary of State Henry Kissinger on Wednesday, asking that they expedite the evacuation of Vietnamese orphans to America and saying Michigan would welcome them.

Hundreds of state officials, doctors, volunteers and private citizens are mobilized to care for the orphans if and when they arrive, Milliken said. A coordinated welcoming effort with food, clothing, medical care and housing can be in action in four hours, Weeks said.

Several private agencies have indicated the children could arrive in the near future, but state officials emphasize they do not know if the orphans are coming.

The state Social Services Department "is swamped by calls asking how to adopt or provide for children. There were several hundred calls today. But they had a backlog of offers, even before the governor's announcement yesterday," Weeks said.

Private groups assisting the South Asian war orphans:

—Holt Children's Services, P.O. Box 2420, Eugene Ore.

—Internationalen, 445 S. 68th St., Boulder, Colo.

—Emergency Committee to Save the Babies, Vienna, Va.

—Council on Adoptable Children, P.O. Box 40541 Palisades Station, Washington, D.C.

—Food for Children of Vietnam, Attn: Linda Conrad, 326 Ceder St., Lexington, Mass.



FRISKY: These puppies are a mix of Wire-Haired Terrier and Beagle and they are best described as "very frisky and friendly." They are from a big litter and are lodged with their brothers and sisters at the Humane Society of Southwestern Michigan awaiting adoption. The society's shelter is at 641 South Crystal avenue, Benton township. (Staff photo)



BERRIEN SPRINGS BOUND: Vietnamese orphan Ohnma Lisa, 13 months old, yawns unconcerned while being snuggled by nurse Mary Fisher in a Sacramento, Calif., home yesterday. The baby is to be adopted by Mr. and Mrs. Lim G. Wong of Berrien Springs. Mr. Wong is fifth grade teacher at Lakeshore school district's Hollywood school in Stevensville. Mrs. Fisher helped bring six of 55 orphans on flight from war-torn country. (AP Wirephoto)

Van Buren Births Dip In '74; More Are Illegitimate

By DENNIS COGSWELL
Paw Paw Bureau

HARTFORD — The Van Buren county birth rate is declining, but the rate of illegitimate births is on the increase, according to Dr. James Davis, county health department director.

From figures gathered through the first 11 months of 1974, Van Buren ranked 12th among the state's 83 counties in illegitimate births with 121 per 1,000 population, Davis said. Wayne county was first at 230 per 1,000, followed by Lake county at 217, and Berrien county at 211.

During the January-November 1974 period, 108 of the 891 births to county women were illegitimate, about 12 per cent. By comparison, the number of children born to unwed Van Buren mothers in 1960 was three per cent, 6 per cent in 1965, and 10.1 per cent in 1971.

Davis said he believes the increase in births out of wedlock is part of a nationwide trend toward sexual permissiveness in a changing moral climate.

"There are more people engaging in sexual activity at an earlier age," he commented.

Although the Van Buren illegitimacy rate is below the statewide average of 136 per 1,000 population, Davis feels inroads can be made into the problem by improved health education programs within the schools.

"My feeling is that all school districts should have well-developed health education programs that would start with kindergartenand end up in grade 12.

In going through the schools, I've found they just haven't done it."

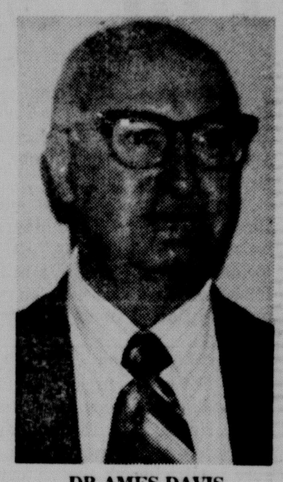
Davis added that health education should be on a weekly rather than spot basis, "just like reading, writing and arithmetic." He said his idea was not to encourage sexual promiscuity, but rather to enable young people who have opted for a lifestyle which includes frequent sexual activity to protect themselves.

Davis said predictions that Van Buren was due for a "baby boom" were false, and that the birth rate was actually declining.

He supplied figures which showed that with a population of 48,395 in 1960, the county had 1,107 births. The figure fell off to 1,075 births and a population of 56,173 in 1970, with the 1974 figures expected to be a population of 60,500 and births estimated at about 970.

The state birth rate of 15.5 births per 1,000 population in 1974 was just above the national rate of 14.8, he said.

According to 1973 figures, the latest available, Van Buren ranked 34th in divorce and 38th in marriage rates among the state's counties, Davis said.



DR. AMES DAVIS
Programs needed

Watervliet Ambulance Service Meeting Delayed By Heavy Snow

WATERVLIET — A meeting to review various proposals for supplying Watervliet city and township and Bainbridge township with ambulance service was cancelled last night due to the heavy snowfall. Albert Steffens, ambulance committee chairman, said a new meeting date will be announced early next week. Ambulance service provided by a private funeral director in the area, will end June 30, according to Steffens.

Spring Fashion Show At Sawyer Tonight

SAWYER — The spring fashion show, "Swinging Into Spring," sponsored by the Sawyer Trinity Lutheran school Parent-Teacher League, will be held at 8 o'clock tonight at the church school. The event was originally scheduled for April 2 but was cancelled due to the weather. Fashions to be featured will be from the Stretch and Sew Shop, St. Joseph. Proceeds will be used to purchase playground equipment for the school.

Buchanan Men Held After Fire

BUCHANAN — Two Buchanan men have been arrested in connection with a fire that destroyed the Red Bud Inn north of here last Sunday, according to Lt. Richard Heminger of the Berrien county sheriff's department Galien substation. Heminger said warrants charging the pair with arson will be sought today. Lodged in the county jail are Roger Gray, 20, Artic street, and John Brittin Jr., 29, 3106 Ross drive, both of Buchanan, and former renters of an upstairs apartment at the Inn when a fire destroyed the apartment Feb. 15.

Heminger said the two men were taken into custody in connection with the second fire at the Inn, which destroyed the first floor restaurant - tavern.

According to Heminger, Gray "came in to talk to us yesterday afternoon after 5 p.m." Brittin was picked up at his home later last night, Heminger said.

During the first fire in the upstairs apartment it was reported that both men had to jump from a second story window after hearing an explosion in the kitchen area of the apartment. Buchanan township fire department officials attributed cause of the first fire to an explosion in a gas furnace in the apartment's kitchen area, according to Heminger.

Owner of the Red Bud Inn is James Gideon, 1735 Gulf View, Fairplain. The tavern was in the process of being remodeled from smoke and water damage caused in extinguishing the first fire when the second fire destroyed the tavern's first floor.

PHONE BILL

MONROE, Mich. (AP) — A civil suit filed in district court by Monroe County against former District Court Judge Charles J. Golden seeks $368.16 for what county officials say were personal phone calls made by him while he was judge and billed to his courthouse phone.

SOUTH HAVEN TOWNSHIP

Petitioners Protest Landfill

By TOM RENNER
South Haven Correspondent

SOUTH HAVEN — A petition objecting to the establishment of a sanitary landfill in South Haven township by the city of South Haven has been presented to the township board.

The petition was signed by 419 registered township voters, according to township Clerk Franklin Torp. The township has about 1,900 registered voters, he said.

The township, which blocked a similar move by the city in 1972, has referred the city proposal to its attorney.

The petitions were submitted Wednesday night. South Haven city council last month approved the purchase of a 35-acre tract of land near 12th avenue and I-196 in South Haven township.

City officials have proposed the land as a sanitary landfill site, but a 1962 township ordinance has a stipulation that prohibits the placing of any debris from outside the township on land in the township.

In 1972, the township refused to waive the stipulation when the city attempted to purchase another tract of land as a landfill site.

The petition opposes creation of the landfill, citing a potential danger to public health, probable decreases in property values and the possibility of creating a public and private nuisance.

Township Supervisor Clifford Klapp noted that the city has not applied for a permit to establish the landfill.

The permit is required by township ordinance.

In other action by the township board Wednesday night, a building permit fee schedule was adopted.

The fee schedule coincides with those adopted by most other Van Buren township boards.

The fee is as follows: residential and commercial, $30 basic charge plus four cents per square foot up to 2,500 square feet and two cents per additional square foot thereafter; remodeling projects over $200 and garage construction, $10 basic charge plus two cents per square foot; new mobile homes, $10; moving of buildings, $15 basic charge plus two cents per square foot on the ground floor; residential towers (television, radio, etc.) over 12.5 feet, $10.

The board also approved paying building inspector Donald Getman 75 per cent of fees collected with the balance going toward administrative expenses.

Dr. James Davis, medical director of the Van Buren county health department, presented a formal verbal request that the township consider renting space in the township hall to several county agencies.

Dr. Davis noted that the county hasservices available to all its citizens, but that there has been a historical problem of accessibility for residents of the western portion of the county.

The county has proposed to locate representatives of its social services, mental health, probate court (juvenile) and health departments at the South Haven location. The township is presently utilizing only about two-thirds of its building.

The board decided to seek public opinion on the request at its annual meeting which will be held this Saturday at 1:30 p.m.

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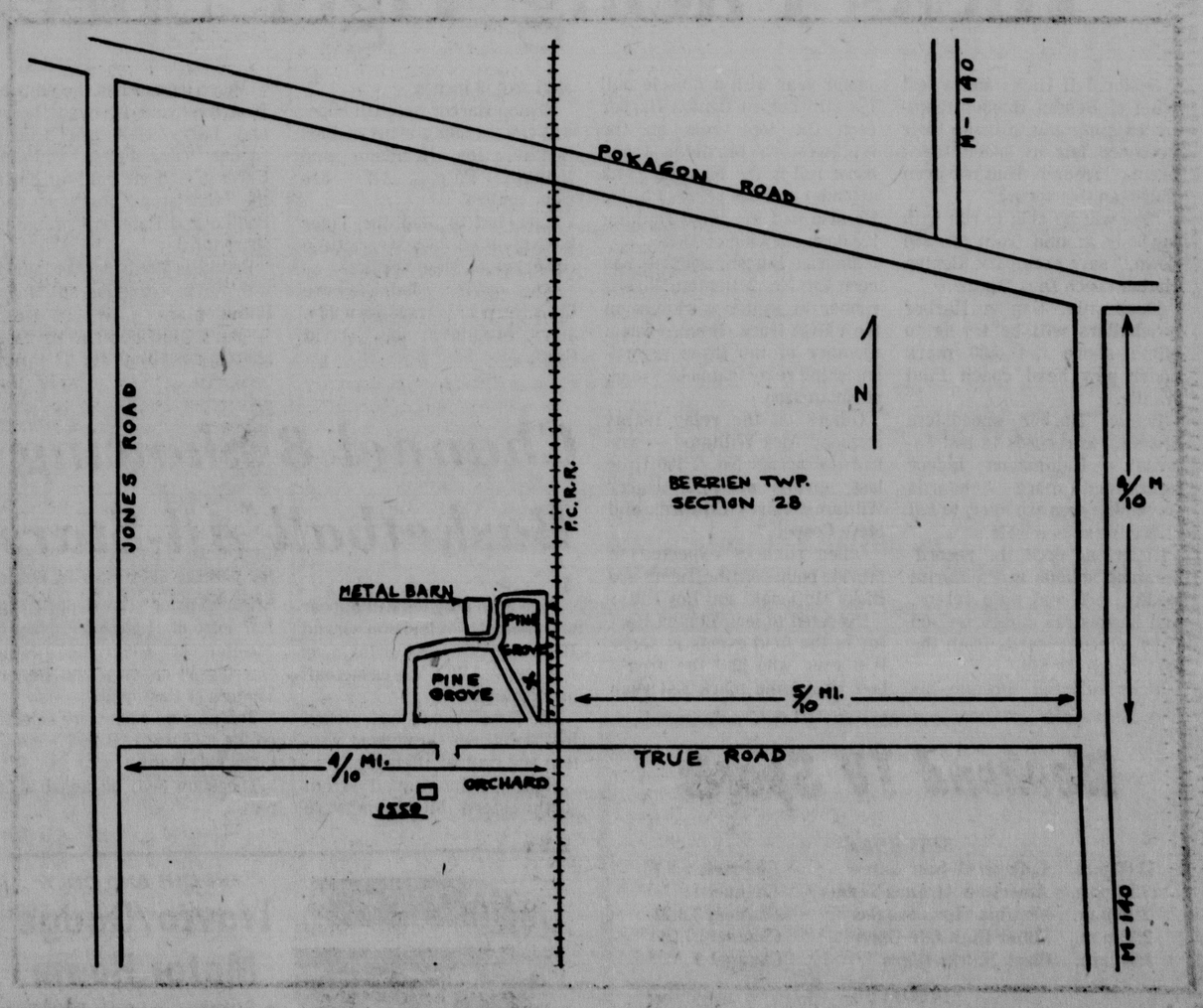
The South Haven office, which serves residents of southwestern Allegan county and northern Van Buren county issued 7,681 checks valued at $873,303.50 during March.

The number of checks is usually about twice the number of applicants for unemployment benefits because recipients are paid twice a month.

Previous highs for the South Haven office had been 7,610 checks in January and $765,081 in benefits during February.

In March, 1974, the South Haven office issued 2,636 checks valued at $226,276.

The number of checks and amount of benefits paid out are generally a reflection of unemployment rates in the area.



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Facing Lyle May 16 In Las Vegas

Next Ali Fight On TV

NEW YORK (AP) — Heavyweight champion Muhammad Ali will appear in the nation's living rooms in May, but you'll probably have to go to the theater to watch him perform in September.

"The fight is on, the money is up," Herbert Muhammad, Ali's manager, said Thursday in Chicago about an Ali title defense against Ron Lyle in Las Vegas May 16, which will be shown live on home television by ABC.

"The terms are agreeable and we will sign a contract," said Irwin Rosee, Lyle's manager of record, who added that he had talked with Lyle's business partner, Bill Daniels, owner of the pro basketball Utah Stars.

Ali reportedly will get $1 million and Lyle $100,000.

The first home telecast of a heavyweight title fight since Joe Frazier stopped Ron Stander May 25, 1972, will be promoted by Don King Productions, Inc., and Video Techniques, Inc., co-promoters of Ali's title winning performance against George Foreman in Africa last Oct. 30 and his defense against Chuck Wepner March 24 at the Cleveland Coliseum.

King also said Thursday that he expects to make the Ali-Lyle fight the second half of a home television doubleheader with middleweight champion Carlos Monzon or lightweight champion Robert Duran.

Then, under questioning, King said he expects the next "big fight" to be in Egypt in September. Ali would probably meet Foreman or possibly Joe Frazier in a closed-circuit television match in Cairo.

For Lyle the shot at the title comes after a series of setbacks.

The 33 - year - old ex-convict from Denver was all but signed to fight Ali in Madison Square Garden March 24, but the bout fell through and Ali ended up with Wepner. The Garden still hoped to make an Ali-Lyle fight for June but Lyle then was outpointed by unheralded Jimmy Young.

Then Lyle was arrested on a charge of shooting at his wife. He currently is out on $3,000 bail on felony menacing and second-degree assult on a complaint filed by his wife.

"A man is innocent until proven guilty, and I don't think Lyle's being out on bail would keep him from going to Nevada," said Denver Count Dist. Atty. Dale Tooley Thursday. "It's simply a guarantee he will return. We wouldn't want to set a trial date that would conflict with personal plans like these."

THE WORLD OF Sports



TRAINING FOR ALI: Denver heavyweight boxer Ron Lyle was in a jubilant mood as he opened his training for a May bout with champion Muhammad Ali in Las Vegas. Ali will receive $1 million and Lyle, a 32-year-old ex-convict, will get $75,000. Lyle, who served eight years for manslaughter, has registered 21 knockouts in 33 fights. (AP Wirephoto)

ABA Needs Extra Game

Nets, Colonels Finish In Eastern Knot

From Associated Press

After 84 regular season games, the New York Nets and the Kentucky Colonels will play a winner - take - all game — the winner getting a chance to take on the Memphis Sounds in the first round of the American Basketball Association Eastern Division playoffs.

Both New York and Kentucky won their final regular season games Thursday night, finishing with identical records of 58-26 and tying for first place in the East. So they'll play an extra game Friday night at Kentucky to determine the East champion.

The game will determine the playoff pairings. The team that finishes first will open against the fourth-place Sounds in the best - of - seven series while the runnerup meets the third-place Spirits of St. Louis.

Because Kentucky won the season series against the Nets, 6-5, the game will be played in Louisville where the Colonels have defeated New York five times while losing only once.

The Nets came back from a 16-point deficit with 4:18 remaining in regulation play to defeat the Virginia Squires 116-111 in overtime, while Kentucky handed the Sounds a 103-93 defeat Thursday night.

"It all boils down to one game and I love it," said Kentucky Coach Hubie Brown. "This is what basketball is supposed to be all about."

Wilbert Jones, who joined Kentucky this season after playing out his option in Memphis, scored 16 points and had nine rebounds in the second half to pace the Colonels. He finished with 19 points and 12 rebounds.

"We were in trouble," Nets Coach Kevin Loughery admitted.

With 4:18 remaining in regulation time, the New Yorkers were down by 16 points. But Julius Erving, who finished with 38 points, Brian Taylor and Wendell Ladner led a Nets rally that sent the game into overtime.

In other games, Utah crushed St. Louis 128-98, San Antonio defeated Indiana 137-122, and Denver outlasted San Diego 148-121.

Pouring in 73 points in the first half, the Utah Stars wound up the regular season with a convincing victory over St. Louis. Utah's Ron Boone led all scorers with 30 points while rookie Marvin Barnes topped the Spirits with 25 points.

George Gervin scored 34 points to pace the San Antonio Spurs to a victory over the team they will meet Saturday in the opening round of the Western Division playoffs. San Antonio finished second in the division while the Pacers were third.

Denver ran away from San Diego to post its 65th victory of the season against only 19 losses. The Nuggets, paced by Byron Beck's 21 points, had nine players in double figures as the Conquistadors' last lead was 97.

The playoffs will begin Saturday with Indiana at San Diego. On Sunday, Utah will travel to Denver in a Western Division clash while the Eastern pairings will depend upon tonight's game between New York and Kentucky.

Hawks Fight Blues For 2nd Saturday

From Associated Press

The Buffalo Sabres, New York Rangers and Chicago Black Hawks don't want very much ... just one more win.

"We just have to win one more game and let the others worry about catching us," said Buffalo Coach Floyd Smith following the Sabres' 4-2 victory over the Boston Bruins Thursday night.

"The big game for us is in St. Louis Saturday night," said Chicago's Billy Reay after the Black Hawks beat the Kansas City Scouts 6-4. "If we win, I am sure I will cherish the victory like no other in my entire career because it will be No. 500."

"We were not playing for a tie, but we were conscious of not losing the point," quote New York's Emile Francis following a brawling 1-1 tie with the Philadelphia Flyers.

Richard Martin's two powerplay tallies less than 3½ minutes apart early in the second period, his 50th and 51st goals of the season, highlighted a three-goal salvo that gave Buffalo an insurmountable 4-1 lead over Boston.

The triumph lifted the Sabres two points ahead of Montreal and Philadelphia — 111 to 109 — for the most points in the NHL. Montreal and Philly have two games left, one more than the Sabres, who play in Toronto Saturday night. However, even if the Sabres win, Philadelphia can catch them by taking its two remaining games.

Jean Ratelle's goal just 15 seconds into the fight-filled game enabled the embattled Rangers to gain a second-place tie with the idle New York Islanders in Division 1. Bobby Clarke, extending his scoring streak through 18 games — eight goals and 33 assists — tallied Philadelphia's goal midway through the opening period.

The Rangers and Islanders are three points ahead of the Atlanta Flames. The Rangers can eliminate the Flames by winning tonight in Atlanta.

Seldom used J.P. Bordeleau scored two second-period goals — his sixth and seventh of the season — and assisted on a third in a seven-minute span to help Chicago move into a second-place tie with St. Louis in the Division 2. The Hawks and Blues are four points behind Vancouver, which can clinch the championship by winning or tying against Minnesota tonight.

The Hawks broke the game open with second-period scores by Jim Pappin, Phil Russell and the two by Bordeleau.

SPORTS CAPSULES

BOXING

NEW YORK — Muhammad Ali will defend the heavyweight championship against Ron Lyle on May 16, at Las Vegas, Nev.

BASKETBALL

PITTSBURGH — Buzz Ridl retired as head coach of the University of Pittsburgh and was replaced by assistant coach Tim Grgurich.

GOLF

GREENSBORO, N.C. — Tom Weiskopf shot a seven-under-par 64 for a three-stroke first-round lead over Dave Hill in the $225,000 Greater Greensboro Open Golf Tournament.

TENNIS

TUCSON, Ariz. — Top-seeded John Newcombe of Australia breezed into the quarter-finals of the $175,000 Tennis Games with a 6-3, 6-4 win over American Erik van Dillen.

LOS ANGELES — Second - seeded Martina Navratilova of Czechoslovakia beat unseeded Mona Schallau of the United States 7-5, 3-6, 6-2 in a roundrobin match of a $150,000 women's pro tennis tourney.

WASHINGTON — Second - seeded Vitas Gerulaitis of New York defeated Charlie Owens of Tuscaloosa, Ala., 6-1, 6-0 in the quarter-finals of the IPA Georgetown Tennis Championships.

Cavaliers Please Record Turnout

CLEVELAND (AP) — Jim Cleamons, Dick Snyder and a screaming, league record crowd kept the Cleveland Cavaliers' hopes alive for their first National Basketball Association playoff spot Thursday night at the Coliseum.

In the only NBA game of the night, the Cavaliers defeated the New York Knicks 100-95 before 20,239 fans. The crowd set an NBA record for a single game. The previous record was 19,694 which has been set in Madison Square Garden numerous times.

Cleveland Coach Bill Fitch and New York Coach Red Holzman agreed that the support from the fans made a big difference.

"We played in front of some great fans," Fitch said. "I've always said that the reason why the Knicks do so well in New York is because of the fans. You're scared not to do well with that many people. You don't want that many men going into the parking lot and beating their wives."

The Cavaliers still have to win their final game against Kansas City Sunday in order to make the playoffs. But they won't have the home court advantage, because the game is scheduled for Omaha.

The Cavs are now 40-41 with one game remaining and are fighting with the Knicks and Houston for the postseason action. The Knicks are 39-41 with two games left.

"The good crowd is always an advantage," said Holzman. "It's great to see a crowd like this in Cleveland."

Holzman added that "Cleveland was very aggressive and did a good job on defense. They got a couple of good bounces. We had our chance to win, but didn't make the shots."

After sharing the lead with New York several times, the Cavaliers entered the final quarter with a 73-73 advantage that Cleamons produced with two field goals in the closing second of the third period.

Snyder, who was high for Cleveland with 22, hit for eight points in the opening minutes of the last quarter, putting the Cavaliers up 90-80 with seven minutes remaining in the game.

Walt Frazier, who scored 20 for the Knicks, kept New York in the game, and his six points in the last minutes along with Earl Monroe's layup brought the deficit to 96-95 with 1:20 remaining.

Cleamons then came through with two foul shots and Jim Brewer stuffed one at the buzzer, giving the Cavs a cushion.

Tops Seeds Playing In AAU Tournament

GALLUP, N.M. (AP) — Top-seeded Wayland Baptist College of Plainview, Tex., will battle fifth seeded Allentown, Pa., and second-seeded Fullerton, Calif., will clash with sixth-seeded Brownstown, Ind., tonight in the semifinals of the Women's National AAU Basketball Tournament.

The four earned the semifinal berths by posting quarter-final victories in Thursday's third day of tourney action.

Wayland topped eighth-seeded Ankeny, Iowa, 68-61, Fullerton rolled over New York City 91-51, Allentown held off fourth-seeded Raytown, Mo., 8577 and Brownstown breezed past tourney host Gallup 76-58.

The winners of tonight's tussles will tangle in the tourney title game Saturday night, ending the five-day meet that began play with 21 teams. Tonight's losers will vie for third-place honors in a game preceding the championship bout.

Mariners In Playoff, Whalers Moving Up

From Associated Press

The San Diego Mariners clinched a spot in the World Hockey Association playoffs while the New England Whalers improved their playoff position.

By routing the Baltimore Blades 9-2 Thursday night, the Mariners moved into undisputed possession of second place in the Western Division. The first two teams in each division plus two wild-card teams enter the playoffs.

San Diego's Andre Lacroix scored a goal and handed out four assists to move into the WHA scoring lead. Lacroix has 38 goals and 100 assists for 138 points in 76 games.

The Mariners led 6-0 after two periods, putting the game out of doubt early in the contest.

In the night's only other WHA contest, the New England Whalers defeated the Quebec Nordiques 4-1.

"We're playing playoff hockey right now," said Whalers acting coach Jack Kelley. "These last few games are just as important as playoff games and we're going all out to win them."

The Whalers scored their third straight victory under Kelley, the team's general manager, since he took over the coaching job from ailing Ron Ryan, by beating the Quebec Nordiques, 4-1, Thursday night.

With the victory, the Whalers moved into second place in the WHA point standings, which determine playoff pairings and home ice advantage.

Veterans Don Blackburn scored two goals and an assist and Wayne Carleton had one goal and three assists. Tom Webster tallied the other New England goal.

Quebec's only goal came when Francois Lacombe took a centering pass from the right point and beat Whalers' goalie Al Smith with a 25-foot slap shot.

Wilhite Seeks Baseball Improvement

Hicks Pacing Tiger Speedsters

Senior Jeff Hicks and a fast band of Benton Harbor teammates are going to make their presence felt in speed track events around southwestern Michigan this spring.

"We will be able to run with anybody around from the 880 down," says optimistic Benton Harbor coach Dick Brame.

Meanwhile, Benton Harbor baseballers will be trying to climb above the .500 mark under new head coach Paul Wilhite.

Benton Harbor speedsters broke three records in last Saturday's Kalamazoo indoor meet, and more standards around the area are likely to fall before the season ends.

Hicks anchored the record-breaking squads in the sprint medley, 880 and mile relays. And he has his sights set on Tiger school records from the 100 through the 880.

Hicks suffered through his junior year with a muscle pull but still helped Benton Harbor earn the top spots on the southwestern Michigan track honor roll in the 440 relay (44.5 seconds) and 880 relay (1:31.8). He also had the third ranking 220 dash clocking of 23.1.

Maurice Burton, a junior, has been the No. 2 Benton Harbor runner in winter workouts on the YMCA track. He also was a member of the three record-smashing relay teams last week at Kalamazoo.

Others on the relay teams included Alex Williams — who had the area's No. 2 100 time last spring at 10.2, Harry Williams, Larry Edwards and Steve Cooper.

Other runners expected to provide points for the Tigers are Ricky McDonald and Roy Pitts.

Expected to lead Benton Harbor in the field events is Jerry Williams, who had the area's best long jump mark last year at 21 feet, 9 inches.

Benton Harbor baseball hopes will ride pitching arms of Bart Bodtke, Jon Hermann and Robert Pate. All are righthanders.

Expected to lead the Tiger batting attack is power hitting centerfielder Mike Schultz.

Other outfield candidates are Chris Harper, Vernon Reynolds, Jerry McClinton and David Crum.

Mike Howard has the edge at first base and Richard Haney and Larry Bell are second sacker candidates. William Fryer has been holding down the shortstop position and Bodtke and Pate will probably share third.

Bodtke is also a catcher, along with Kevin Cornelius and John Hamilton.

"We should be a pretty fair team," says Wilhite. "I think we are going to be able to hold our own."

Benton Harbor will play its home games this year on the new diamond behind the high school.

Benton Harbor baseballers open Monday at Kalamazoo Hackett. Tiger tracksters open outdoors at Watervliet next Thursday.

Channel 8 Showing Basketball All-Stars

Five area athletes will appear on channel 8 television Grand Rapids this Saturday as members of WOTV's basketball all-star team.

The honor squad was picked by 250 coaches throughout western and central Michigan.

Making the squad from southwestern Michigan were Mickey Ott of St. Joseph, Lynn Boitnott of Lawrence, Marc Moeller of Fennville, John Harrington of Niles and Roger Walters of Cassopolis.

Ten players each were selected for a Class A, B and a combined C-D team.

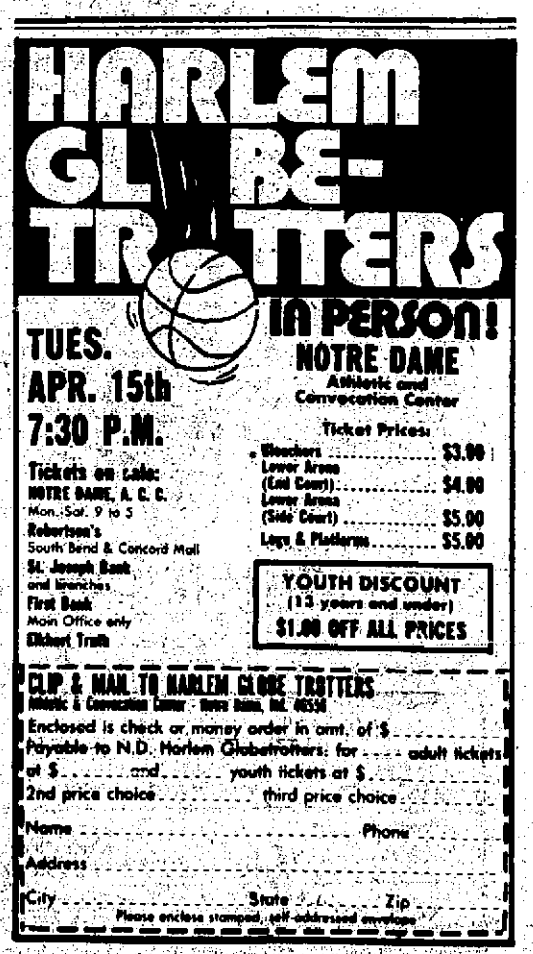
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Facing Lyle May 16 In Las Vegas

Next Ali Fight On TV

NEW YORK (AP) — Heavyweight champion Muhammad Ali will appear in the nation's living rooms in May, but you'll probably have to go to the theater to watch him perform in September.

"The fight is on, the money is up," Herbert Muhammad, Ali's manager, said Thursday in Chicago about an Ali title defense against Ron Lyle in Las Vegas May 16, which will be shown live on home television by ABC.

"The terms are agreeable and we will sign a contract," said Irwin Rosee, Lyle's manager of record, who added that he had talked with Lyle's business partner, Bill Daniels, owner of the pro basketball Utah Stars.

Ali reportedly will get $1 million and Lyle $100,000.

The first home telecast of a heavyweight title fight since Joe Frazier stopped Ron Stander May 25, 1972, will be promoted by Don King Productions, Inc., and Video Techniques, Inc., co-promoters of Ali's title winning performance against George Foreman in Africa last Oct. 30 and his defense against Chuck Wepner March 24 at the Cleveland Coliseum.

King also said Thursday that he expects to make the Ali-Lyle fight the second half of a home television doubleheader with middleweight champion Carlos Monzon or lightweight champion Robert Duran.

Then, under questioning, King said he expects the next "big fight" to be in Egypt in September. Ali would probably meet Foreman or possibly Joe Frazier in a closed-circuit television match in Cairo.

For Lyle the shot at the title comes after a series of setbacks.

The 33 - year - old ex-convict from Denver was all but signed to fight Ali in Madison Square Garden March 24, but the bout fell through and Ali ended up with Wepner. The Garden still hoped to make an Ali-Lyle fight for June but Lyle then was outpointed by unheralded Jimmy Young.

Then Lyle was arrested on a charge of shooting at his wife. He currently is out on $3,000 bail on felony menacing and second-degree assult on a complaint filed by his wife.

"A man is innocent until proven guilty, and I don't think Lyle's being out on bail would keep him from going to Nevada," said Denver Count Dist. Atty. Dale Tooley Thursday. "It's simply a guarantee he will return. We wouldn't want to set a trial date that would conflict with personal plans like these."

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TRAINING FOR ALI: Denver heavyweight boxer Ron Lyle was in a jubilant mood as he opened his training for a May bout with champion Muhammad Ali in Las Vegas. Ali will receive $1 million and Lyle, a 32-year-old ex-convict, will get $75,000, Lyle, who served eight years for manslaughter, has registered 21 knockouts in 33 fights. (AP Wirephoto)

ABA Needs Extra Game

Nets, Colonels Finish In Eastern Knot

From Associated Press

After 84 regular season games, the New York Nets and the Kentucky Colonels will play a winner - take - all game — the winner getting a chance to take on the Memphis Sounds in the first round of the American Basketball Association Eastern Division playoffs.

Both New York and Kentucky won their final regular season games Thursday night, finishing with identical records of 58-26 and tying for first place in the East. So they'll play an extra game Friday night at Kentucky to determine the East champion.

The game will determine the playoff pairings. The team that finishes first will open against the fourth-place Sounds in the best - of - seven series while the runnerup meets the third-place Spirits of St. Louis.

Because Kentucky won the season series against the Nets, 6-5, the game will be played in Louisville where the Colonels have defeated New York five times while losing only once.

The Nets came back from a 16-point deficit with 4:18 remaining in regulation play to defeat the Virginia Squires 116-111 in overtime, while Kentucky handed the Sounds a 103-93 defeat Thursday night.

"It all boils down to one game and I love it," said Kentucky Coach Hubie Brown. "This is what basketball is supposed to be all about."

Wilburt Jones, who joined Kentucky this season after playing out his option in Memphis, scored 16 points and had nine rebounds in the second half to pace the Colonels. He finished with 19 points and 12 rebounds.

"We were in trouble," Nets Coach Kevin Loughery admitted.

With 4:18 remaining in regulation time, the New Yorkers were down by 16 points. But Julius Erving, who finished with 38 points, Brian Taylor and Wendell Ladner led a Nets rally that sent the game into overtime.

In other games, Utah crushed St. Louis 128-98, San Antonio defeated Indiana 137-122, and Denver outlasted San Diego 148-121.

Pouring in 73 points in the first half, the Utah Stars wound up the regular season with a convincing victory over St. Louis. Utah's Ron Boone led all scorers with 30 points while rookie Marvin Barnes topped the Spirits with 25 points.

George Gervin scored 34 points to pace the San Antonio Spurs to a victory over the team they will meet Saturday in the opening round of the Western Division playoffs. San Antonio finished second in the division while the Pacers were third.

Denver ran away from San Diego to post its 65th victory of the season against only 19 losses. The Nuggets, paced by Byron Beck's 21 points, had nine players in double figures as the Conquistadors' last lead was 97.

The playoffs will begin Saturday with Indiana at San Diego. On Sunday, Utah will travel to Denver in a Western Division clash while the Eastern pairings will depend upon tonight's game between New York and Kentucky.

Hawks Fight Blues For 2nd Saturday

From Associated Press

The Buffalo Sabres, New York Rangers and Chicago Black Hawks don't want very much ... just one more win.

"We just have to win one more game and let the others worry about catching us," said Buffalo Coach Floyd Smith following the Sabres' 4-2 victory over the Boston Bruins Thursday night.

"The big game for us is in St. Louis Saturday night," said Chicago's Billy Reay after the Black Hawks beat the Kansas City Scouts 6-4. "If we win, I am sure I will cherish the victory like no other in my entire career because it will be No. 500."

"We were not playing for a tie, but we were conscious of not losing the point," quote New York's Emile Francis following a brawling 1-1 tie with the Philadelphia Flyers.

Richard Martin's two powerplay tallies less than 3½ minutes apart early in the second period, his 50th and 51st goals of the season, highlighted a three-goal salvo that gave Buffalo an insurmountable 4-1 lead over Boston.

The triumph lifted the Sabres two points ahead of Montreal and Philadelphia — 111 to 109 — for the most points in the NHL. Montreal and Philly have two games left, one more than the Sabres, who play in Toronto Saturday night. However, even if the Sabres win, Philadelphia can catch them by taking its two remaining games.

Jean Ratelle's goal just 15 seconds into the fight-filled game enabled the embattled Rangers to gain a second-place tie with the idle New York Islanders in Division 1. Bobby Clarke, extending his scoring streak through 18 games — eight goals and 33 assists — tallied Philadelphia's goal midway through the opening period.

The Rangers and Islanders are three points ahead of the Atlanta Flames. The Rangers can eliminate the Flames by winning tonight in Atlanta.

Seldom used J.P. Bordeleau scored two second-period goals — his sixth and seventh of the season — and assisted on a third in a seven-minute span to help Chicago move into a second-place tie with St. Louis in the Division 2. The Hawks and Blues are four points behind Vancouver, which can clinch the championship by winning or tying against Minnesota tonight.

The Hawks broke the game open with second-period scores by Jim Pappin, Phil Russell and the two by Bordeleau.

SPORTS CAPSULES

BOXING

NEW YORK — Muhammad Ali will defend the heavyweight championship against Ron Lyle on May 16, at Las Vegas, Nev.

BASKETBALL

PITTSBURGH — Buzz Ridl retired as head coach of the University of Pittsburgh and was replaced by assistant coach Tim Grgurich.

GOLF

GREENSBORO, N.C. — Tom Weiskopf shot a seven-under-par 64 for a three-stroke first-round lead over Dave Hill in the $225,000 Greater Greensboro Open Golf Tournament.

TENNIS

TUCSON, Ariz. — Top-seeded John Newcombe of Australia breezed into the quarter-finals of the $175,000 Tennis Games with a 6-3, 6-4 win over American Erik van Dillen.

LOS ANGELES — Second - seeded Martina Navratilova of Czechoslovakia beat unseeded Mona Schallau of the United States 7-5, 3-6, 6-2 in a roundrobin match of a $150,000 women's pro tennis tourney.

WASHINGTON — Second - seeded Vitas Gerulaitis of New York defeated Charlie Owens of Tuscaloosa, Ala., 6-1, 6-0 in the quarter-finals of the IPA Georgetown Tennis Championships.

Cavaliers Please Record Turnout

CLEVELAND (AP) — Jim Cleamons, Dick Snyder and a screaming, league record crowd kept the Cleveland Cavaliers' hopes alive for their first National Basketball Association playoff spot Thursday night at the Coliseum.

In the only NBA game of the night, the Cavaliers defeated the New York Knicks 100-95 before 20,239 fans. The crowd set an NBA record for a single game. The previous record was 19,694 which has been set in Madison Square Garden numerous times.

Cleveland Coach Bill Fitch and New York Coach Red Holzman agreed that the support from the fans made a big difference.

"We played in front of some great fans," Fitch said. "I've always said that the reason why the Knicks do so well in New York is because of the fans. You're scared not to do well with that many people. You don't want that many men going into the parking lot and beating their wives."

The Cavaliers still have to win their final game against Kansas City Sunday in order to make the playoffs. But they won't have the home court advantage, because the game is scheduled for Omaha.

The Cavs are now 40-41 with one game remaining and are fighting with the Knicks and Houston for the postseason action. The Knicks are 39-41 with two games left.

"The good crowd is always an advantage," said Holzman. "It's great to see a crowd like this in Cleveland."

Holzman added that "Cleveland was very aggressive and did a good job on defense. They got a couple of good bounces. We had our chance to win, but didn't make the shots."

After sharing the lead with New York several times, the Cavaliers entered the final quarter with a 73-73 advantage that Cleamons produced with two field goals in the closing second of the third period.

Snyder, who was high for Cleveland with 22, hit for eight points in the opening minutes of the last quarter, putting the Cavaliers up 90-80 with seven minutes remaining in the game.

Walt Frazier, who scored 20 for the Knicks, kept New York in the game, and his six points in the last minutes along with Earl Monroe's layup brought the deficit to 96-95 with 1:20 remaining.

Cleamons then came through with two foul shots and Jim Brewer stuffed one at the buzzer, giving the Cavs a cushion.

Mariners In Playoff, Whalers Moving Up

From Associated Press

The San Diego Mariners clinched a spot in the World Hockey Association playoffs while the New England Whalers improved their playoff position.

By routing the Baltimore Blades 9-2 Thursday night, the Mariners moved into undisputed possession of second place in the Western Division. The first two teams in each division plus two wild-card teams enter the playoffs.

San Diego's Andre Lacroix scored a goal and handed out four assists to move into the WHA scoring lead. Lacroix has 38 goals and 100 assists for 138 points in 76 games.

The Mariners led 6-0 after two periods, putting the game out of doubt early in the contest.

In the night's only other WHA contest, the New England Whalers defeated the Quebec Nordiques 4-1.

"We're playing playoff hockey right now," said Whalers acting coach Jack Kelley. "These last few games are just as important as playoff games and we're going all out to win them."

The Whalers scored their third straight victory under Kelley, the team's general manager, since he took over the coaching job from ailing Ron Ryan, by beating the Quebec Nordiques, 4-1, Thursday night.

With the victory, the Whalers moved into second place in the WHA point standings, which determine playoff pairings and home ice advantage.

Veterans Don Blackburn scored two goals and an assist and Wayne Carleton had one goal and three assists. Tom Webster tallied the other New England goal.

Quebec's only goal came when Francois Lacombe took a centering pass from the right point and beat Whalers' goalie Al Smith with a 25-foot slap shot.

Tops Seeds Playing In AAU Tournament

GALLUP, N.M. (AP) — Top-seeded Wayland Baptist College of Plainview, Tex., will battle fifth seeded Allentown, Pa., and second-seeded Fullerton, Calif., will clash with sixth-seeded Brownstown, Ind., tonight in the semifinals of the Women's National AAU Basketball Tournament.

The four earned the semifinal berths by posting quarter-final victories in Thursday's third day of tourney action.

Wayland topped eighth-seeded Ankeny, Iowa, 68-61, Fullerton rolled over New York City 91-51, Allentown held off fourth-seeded Raytown, Mo., 8577 and Brownstown breezed past tourney host Gallup 76-58.

The winners of tonight's tussles will tangle in the tourney title game Saturday night, ending the five-day meet that began play with 21 teams. Tonight's losers will vie for third-place honors in a game preceding the championship bout.

Wilhite Seeks Baseball Improvement

Hicks Pacing Tiger Speedsters

Senior Jeff Hicks and a fast band of Benton Harbor teammates are going to make their presence felt in speed track events around southwestern Michigan this spring.

"We will be able to run with anybody around from the 880 down," says optimistic Benton Harbor coach Dick Brame.

Meanwhile, Benton Harbor baseballers will be trying to climb above the .500 mark under new head coach Paul Wilhite.

Benton Harbor speedsters broke three records in last Saturday's Kalamazoo indoor meet, and more standards around the area are likely to fall before the season ends.

Hicks anchored the record-breaking squads in the sprint medley, 880 and mile relays. And he has his sights set on Tiger school records from the 100 through the 880.

Hicks suffered through his junior year with a muscle pull but still helped Benton Harbor earn the top spots on the southwestern Michigan track honor roll in the 440 relay (44.5 seconds) and 880 relay (1:31.8). He also had the third ranking 220 dash clocking of 23.1.

Maurice Burton, a junior, has been the No. 2 Benton Harbor runner in winter workouts on the YMCA track. He also was a member of the three record-smashing relay teams last week at Kalamazoo.

Others on the relay teams included Alex Williams — who had the area's No. 2 100 time last spring at 10.2, Harry Williams, Larry Edwards and Steve Cooper.

Other runners expected to provide points for the Tigers are Ricky McDonald and Roy Pitts.

Expected to lead Benton Harbor in the field events is Jerry Williams, who had the area's best long jump mark last year at 21 feet, 9 inches.

Benton Harbor baseball hopes will ride pitching arms of Bart Bodtke, Jon Hermann and Robert Pate. All are righthanders.

Expected to lead the Tiger batting attack is power hitting centerfielder Mike Schultz.

Other outfield candidates are Chris Harper, Vernon Reynolds, Jerry McClinton and David Crum.

Mike Howard has the edge at first base and Richard Haney and Larry Bell are second sacker candidates. William Fryer has been holding down the shortstop position and Bodtke and Pate will probably share third.

Bodtke is also a catcher, along with Kevin Cornelius and John Hamilton.

"We should be a pretty fair team," says Wilhite. "I think we are going to be able to hold our own."

Benton Harbor will play its home games this year on the new diamond behind the high school.

Benton Harbor baseballers open Monday at Kalamazoo Hackett. Tiger tracksters open outdoors at Watervliet next Thursday.

Channel 8 Showing Basketball All-Stars

Five area athletes will appear on channel 8 television Grand Rapids this Saturday as members of WOTV's basketball all-star team.

The honor squad was picked by 250 coaches throughout western and central Michigan.

Making the squad from southwestern Michigan were Mickey Ott of St. Joseph, Lynn Boitnott of Lawrence, Marc Moeller of Fennville, John Harrington of Niles and Roger Walters of Cassopolis.

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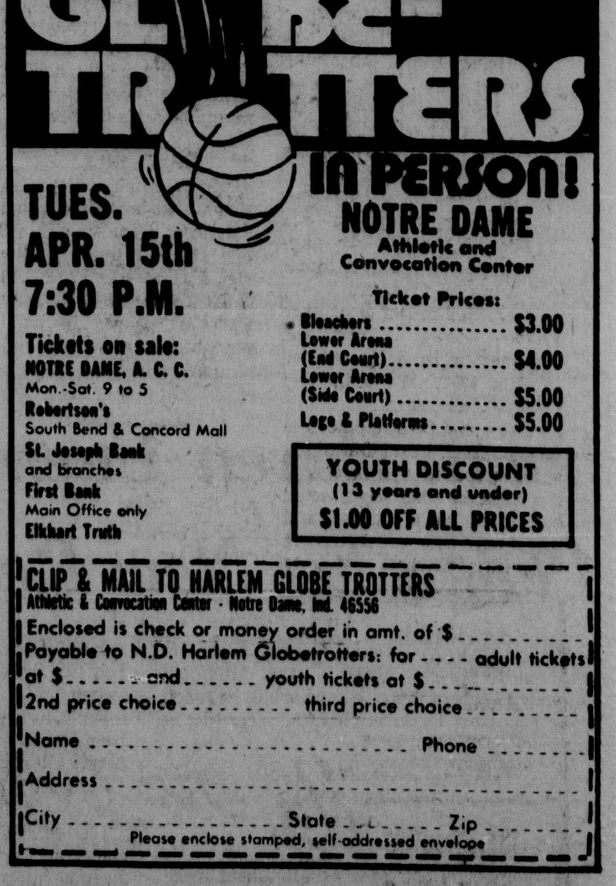
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Champ Lakers Return Pitchers

Rocks Threaten Panthers In Red Arrow Track

It appears Lake Michigan Catholic's Red Arrow Conference baseball title is not in too much jeopardy this spring.

However, the same situation does not prevail for Watervliet. The defending league track champion Panthers will have to ward off the strong challenge of Berrien Springs to repeat as titlists.

The Shamrocks stamped themselves as the team to beat in the Red Arrow this season after winning the Class C-D title at the Southwestern Michigan Invitational track and field meet last Saturday in Kalamazoo. Watervliet was third.

"I guess you'd have to consider us the leader after last Saturday," says Shamrock coach Norm Harris, whose team earned runnerup honors one year ago in the conference meet.

Berrien is assured of many points this spring from sophomore standout Arden Paustian in the 440 yard dash. Paustian won the quarter at the Southwestern meet with a record 52.1 clocking. He was seventh in the state as a freshman last year and is the defending conference 440 champ.

Bill Miller is a quality long jumper for Berrien who won the WMU invitational. Tim Mead finished second in the hurdles in the same meet. Berrien's school record holding two-miler John Keeler is also expected to garner plenty of points for the Shamrocks.

Other top-notch Berrien trackmen include dashman Reggie Croom, sophomore pole vaulter Roy Anderson, middle distance runner Kevin Carmichael and relay runner Rick Ruhl.

Although Watervliet took heavy losses through graduation last year, coach Gene Bednarowski is still optimistic.

"We aren't going to be a pushover," maintains the successful coach, "but we're rebuilding and have a lot of question marks."

Bednarowski hopes his team will blossom into a league contender as the conference meet approaches.

The Panthers should be formidable in the longer relay races. Staffing these teams will be sophomores Jon Hinkelman, Tom Hutchinson and Chuck Brock plus senior Mike Lynch along with Mike McVay and Kevin Creeden.

Although Eau Claire is in great part untested, four trackmen return with solid credentials. Senior Taylor Lanier is a 10.3 century threat, Roger Daugherty is a proven distance specialist, Scott Bates excells at middle distance events and Don McAfee should be another point getter in the dashes.

Hopes are high at Lake Michigan Catholic for a lofty placing in the conference this year.

The Lakers figure to be very competitive from the quarter through the two-mile events. They should be especially strong in the longer events after capturing the regional cross country title last fall.

Top point getters back from last year are sprinter Richard Bowie and distance ace Steve Gentry. Dave Flood and Jaimie Cordera will be called on to provide points in the two mile. Tim Gentry is another top distance prospect.

Galien has an all-around track whiz in Don Kooy, who excells in the dashes and long jump.

Other top Gaels are Steve Heller in the long jump and relays, middle distance runner Tim Snyder, pole vaulter and high jumper Tom Tincher and hurdler Lonnie Miller.

Hartford will be formidable in the distance events with the return of Brian Bunn, who last year appeared in the state meet.

Sprinter Jamie Dyer has already run a 10.3 hundred, while John Layman is one of the top middle distance specialists in the Indian camp along with Bob Wallace.

New Buffalo has a sure point getter in Steve Apple who has a 6'3" high jump to his credit. Apple was a conference meet placer in both the high and low hurdle events last season.

Joe Rizzo is a proven quarter miller, while Lou Folino is one of the top Bison dashmen. Bill Marx has tossed the shot 47' 6" in practice already.

Bridgman's track hopes suffered a serious blow after Mike Schaller came down with tendonitis after the basketball season.

Schaller won the Class D state title in the high jump last June with a 6' 3¾" leap and was seventh in the pole vault. Schaller will still be able to run the dashes.

Brian Ott is a quality high jumper, while Don Skorupa should be able to hold his own in the hurdles.

Pitching power should bring coach Al Nixon's Lake Michigan Catholic baseball team to the conference title again this spring.

The Lakers went to the state finals last spring and finished with a 23-5 card. They were 13-1 in conference play. "We're breaking in more new people this year than in the last four years," says Nixon, who has three infield positions to fill after graduation losses.

Gary Meek and Bob Mattner are again expected to carry the Lakers a long ways. Mattner compiled an 11-2 record last year (1.08 ERA), while Meek went 9-1 with a 2.16 ERA. Mattner has a career 16-3 card, Meek 27-5.

Jim Etter is the top hitter back (.306), while Don Chinick was an even .300 last season.

Hartford coach Dick Patterson is looking for a pitcher to go along with his ace lefty Rick Thomas. Thomas fashioned an 8-4 hurling record last year and also pitched a perfect game against Bridgman.

Dennis Huffman is the lone .300 hitter back. Tom Lowe should put spark into the Hartford defense as he returns to his shortstop position after a year's absence.

All-conference outfielder Bill Pickens leads all returning New Buffalo returnees with his sterling .413 average. Randy Mast carved a .362 batting average in league ball last spring. Ace of the pitching staff should be senior Mike Dohner, an all-state football player who had a 4-2 record and a 1.77 ERA last time around.

Berrien Springs lost its outfield through graduation and pitching is still something of a question mark.

Barry Adams is the top sticker back (.350) and one of the top pitching candidates. Other players who will form the nucleus of the club are Jim Brohman, Rick Thicle and Kirk Hansen.

Coach Wyman Miller lost only two regulars from last year's squad that went 8-8.

The lone proven Galien pitcher is Dale Luther (3-4) with Mike Koziel the top returning hitter at .300. Expected to do his share of power hitting this time is Craig Schau.

Eau Claire coach Russ Holm will be relying on the pitching of Don Mann and Al Flowers to improve on the Beavers' 2-12 league showing of one year ago.

Eau Claire also hopes to shore up a defense that allowed 183 runs last year while the Beavers were scoring 108. Mann, Flowers, Tony Gonzalez and Scott Bates are leading hitters.

Watervliet will pin its hopes on strong pitching to better the 1974 mark of 5-11. Coach Terry Voogd has five strong prospects in Jim McVay, Ben Banasik, Andy Edge, Dave Whitaker and Frank Gargano.

Sound fielding coupled with experience is what Bridgman baseball coach Gary Owen is relying on for his Bee baseballers this year.

Jeff Runser heads the mound crew, while all-conference shortstop Dale Burwell pounded the ball at a .385 clip last campaign. Other solid hitters are Tom Meredith and Lou Barinka.

Redskins Wolverine Track Power

Rams Strong In Baseball

South Haven and Paw Paw are developing Wolverine conference powers this spring in different sports.

The Rams, returning 10 lettermen, should be in top contention for the league baseball crown while the Redskins, supporting a star cast from last year, should rate as the team to beat for the conference track championship.

South Haven, 9-7 in Wolverine play last year, features plenty of pitching depth. All-league pick Dan Sherman, who had a 6-4 mark last season while also hitting .353, heads the mound staff. Other hurlers are Dave Gumpert (4-5), Terry Marr, Mike Verdonk, Ken Cullum and Mickey Strebeck.

Pitching depth will be an important item in the Wolverine race with each team playing a 16-game league schedule with three conference games slated each week.

Sherman, Al Watson (.304) and Mike Sweet (.315) should give the Rams batting punch. Other top players should be Tom Capps, Brian Certa, Mike Dornan, Jim Reist and Duane Rogalla.

Dick Doll takes over as Paw Paw baseball coach this season with a solid nucleus, paced by two-time all-league catcher Randy Rhodes.

Joe Gladysz, Rod Austin, Carl Krnshinsky and Steve Rhoderick will handle the mound duties. Infield and outfield candiates include Ron Williams, Joe Vesey, Brian Brooks, Ron Rushing, Mike Price, David Carr, Jim Babin, David Field and Zane Silas.

Ed Dow, Leroy Rushing and Charles Brynelsen are just some of the standouts on the talented Paw Paw track squad, which won the league meet but finished second to Plainwell in the overall standings last season.

Dow, a versatile athlete who can pick up points in almost any event, got off to a flying start last Saturday with two firsts (long jump and high jump) and a second (high hurdles) in the Southwestern Michigan Invitational Track Meet. Rushing, who will miss several weeks with a strepped throat, had the top times in the area last year in the 100 and 200 dashes while also in the top five in the long jump along with Dow. Brynelsen had the second best two-mile clocking last spring.

Others expected to contribute are Rick Weeks — Wolverine pole vault champ, Mel Gipson, Jay Firestone, Mike Thompson, Dave Hoger, Brian Wiler, Norman Cowie, Dennis Gokey, Jim Blake, Rick Mitchell, Charles Reck and Scott Walters.

South Haven has a young track team which hopes to improve over the course of the season.

Only proven performers are Steve Witte, Dave Nelson, Andy Newell and Marc Till, second in the 440 in the Southwestern Invitational last Saturday.

Weiskopf Aiming To Snap String Of Second Places

GREENSBORO, N.C. (AP) — The long drought is about to end, Tom Weiskopf says.

"Not to win in over a year with my golf swing, well, it has to happen," Weiskopf said.

"You can't just keep on playing that good, playing winning golf, championship golf, and not win. It's just a matter of time before it happens."

And Weiskopf, who hasn't won since his banner season of 1973, made it very evident that he's ready to break his string of second place finishes.

He fired a seven - under - par 64 — an absolutely incredible score under the all - but - impossible playing conditions — and established a three-stroke lead in Thursday's first round of the $225,000 Greater Greensboro Open golf tournament.

"That's ridiculous," Johnny Miller said when informed of Weiskopf's score. "Under these conditions, that's absolutely ridiculous."

The temperature was in the 40s. The wind gusted into the perilous area above 50 miles per hour. One player quit because he said it was dangerous. Part of the scoring system was abandoned because two huge trees appeared ready to topple on scoring headquarters.

Several full-grown pines were knocked down. Limbs and branches were scattered all over the 6,643-yard Sedgefield Country Club course.

"I saw one 80-foot pine tree laid out level," said Dave Hill, alone in second after a 67. "If it'd fallen the other way it would have been on the green and they'd have been out there with their little hatchets trying to clear it."

The windblown scores — with the exception of Weiskopf and Hill — went out of sight.

Arnold Palmer and Sam Snead, an eight-time winner of this old event, matched 77s. South African Gary Player, the Masters and British Open champion, had 76. Billy Casper shot 79. Defending title-holder Bob Charles shivered to a 75.

Lee Trevino managed a par 71 and Miller had a 72 despite consecutive double bogeys. Jack Nicklaus is not competing.

But the wind and cold apparently bothered Weiskopf not at all.

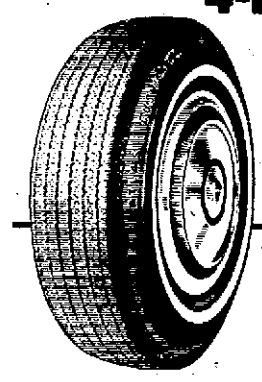
"One of the finest rounds of golf I've ever played in my life," he said.



BIRDIE WATCHER: Tom Weiskopf drops into a half crouch while watching a birdie putt go true to the hole on the eighth green in Thursday's opening round of the Greensboro Open. Weiskopf finished with the first round lead on a seven-under-par 64. (AP Wirephoto)

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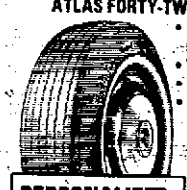
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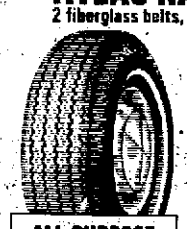
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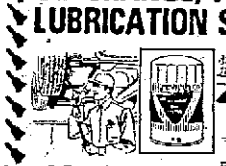
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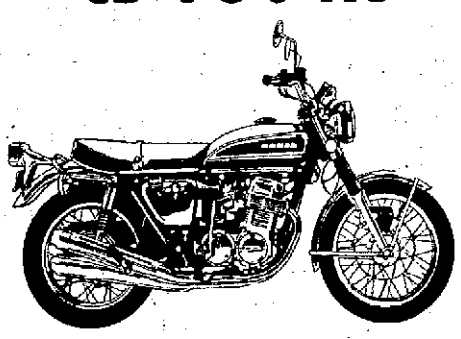
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Champ Lakers Return Pitchers

Rocks Threaten Panthers In Red Arrow Track

It appears Lake Michigan Catholic's Red Arrow Conference baseball title is not in too much jeopardy this spring.

However, the same situation does not prevail for Watervliet. The defending league track champion Panthers will have to ward off the strong challenge of Berrien Springs to repeat as titlists.

The Shamrocks stamped themselves as the team to beat in the Red Arrow this season after winning the Class C-D title at the Southwestern Michigan Invitational track and field meet last Saturday in Kalamazoo. Watervliet was third.

"I guess you'd have to consider us the leader after last Saturday," says Shamrock coach Norm Harris, whose team earned runnerup honors one year ago in the conference meet.

Berrien is assured of many points this spring from sophomore standout Arden Paustian in the 440 yard dash. Paustian won the quarter at the Southwestern meet with a record 52.1 clocking. He was seventh in the state as a freshman last year and is the defending conference 440 champ.

Bill Miller is a quality long jumper for Berrien who won the WMU invitational. Tim Mead finished second in the hurdles in the same meet. Berrien's school record holding two-miler John Keeler is also expected to garner plenty of points for the Shamrocks.

Other top-notch Berrien trackmen include dashman Reggie Croom, sophomore pole vaulter Roy Anderson, middle distance runner Kevin Carmichael and relay runner Rick Ruhl.

Although Watervliet took heavy losses through graduation last year, coach Gene Bednarowski is still optimistic.

"We aren't going to be a pushover," maintains the successful coach, "but we're rebuilding and have a lot of question marks."

Bednarowski hopes his team will blossom into a league contender as the conference meet approaches.

The Panthers should be formidable in the longer relay races. Staffing these teams will be sophomores Jon Hinkelman, Tom Hutchinson and Chuck Brock plus senior Mike Lynch along with Mike McVay and Kevin Creeden.

Although Eau Claire is in great part untested, four trackmen return with solid credentials. Senior Taylor Lanier is a 10.3 century threat, Roger Daugherty is a proven distance specialist, Scott Bates excells at middle distance events and Don McAfee should be another point getter in the dashes.

Hopes are high at Lake Michigan Catholic for a lofty placing in the conference this year.

The Lakers figure to be very competitive from the quarter through the two-mile events. They should be especially strong in the longer events after capturing the regional cross country title last fall.

Top point getters back from last year are sprinter Richard Bowie and distance ace Steve Gentry. Dave Flood and Jaimie Cordera will be called on to provide points in the two mile. Tim Gentry is another top distance prospect.

Galien has an all-around track whiz in Don Kooy, who excells in the dashes and long jump.

Other top Gaels are Steve Heller in the long jump and relays, middle distance runner Tim Snyder, pole vaulter and high jumper Tom Tincher and hurdler Lonnie Miller.

Hartford will be formidable in the distance events with the return of Brian Bunn, who last year appeared in the state meet.

Sprinter Jamie Dyer has already run a 10.3 hundred, while John Layman is one of the top middle distance specialists in the Indian camp along with Bob Wallace.

New Buffalo has a sure point getter in Steve Apple who has a 6'3" high jump to his credit. Apple was a conference meet placer in both the high and low hurdle events last season.

Joe Rizzo is a proven quarter miler, while Lou Folino is one of the top Bison dashmen. Bill Marx has tossed the shot 47' 6" in practice already.

Bridgman's track hopes suffered a serious blow after Mike Schaller came down with tendonitis after the basketball season.

Schaller won the Class D state title in the high jump last June with a 6' 3¾" leap and was seventh in the pole vault. Schaller will still be able to run the dashes.

Brian Ott is a quality high jumper, while Don Skorupa should be able to hold his own in the hurdles.

Pitching power should bring coach Al Nixon's Lake Michigan Catholic baseball team to the conference title again this spring.

The Lakers went to the state finals last spring and finished with a 23-5 card. They were 13-1 in conference play. "We're breaking in more new people this year than in the last four years," says Nixon, who has three infield positions to fill after graduation losses.

Gary Meek and Bob Mattner are again expected to carry the Lakers a long ways. Mattner compiled an 11-2 record last year (1.08 ERA), while Meek went 9-1 with a 2.16 ERA. Mattner has a career 16-3 card, Meek 27-5.

Jim Etter is the top hitter back (.306), while Don Chinick was an even .300 last season.

Hartford coach Dick Patterson is looking for a pitcher to go along with his ace lefty Rick Thomas. Thomas fashioned an 8-4 hurling record last year and also pitched a perfect game against Bridgman.

Dennis Huffman is the lone .300 hitter back. Tom Lowe should put spark into the Hartford defense as he returns to his shortstop position after a year's absence.

All-conference outfielder Bill Pickens leads all returning New Buffalo returnees with his sterling .413 average. Randy Mast carved a .362 batting average in league ball last spring. Ace of the pitching staff should be senior Mike Dohner, an all-state football player who had a 4-2 record and a 1.77 ERA last time around.

Berrien Springs lost its outfield through graduation and pitching is still something of a question mark.

Barry Adams is the top sticker back (.350) and one of the top pitching candidates. Other players who will form the nucleus of the club are Jim Brohman, Rick Thiele and Kirk Hansen.

Coach Wyman Miller lost only two regulars from last year's squad that went 6-8.

The lone proven Galien pitcher is Dale Luther (3-4) with Mike Koziel the top returning hitter at .300. Expected to do his share of power hitting this time is Craig Schau.

Eau Claire coach Russ Holm will be relying on the pitching of Don Mann and Al Flowers to improve on the Beavers' 2-12 league showing of one year ago.

Eau Claire also hopes to shore up a defense that allowed 183 runs last year while the Beavers were scoring 108. Mann, Flowers, Tony Gonzalez and Scott Bates are leading hitters.

Watervliet will pin its hopes on strong pitching to better the 1974 mark of 5-11. Coach Terry Voogd has five strong prospects in Jim McVay, Ben Banasik, Andy Edge, Dave Whitaker and Frank Gargano.

Sound fielding coupled with experience is what Bridgman baseball coach Gary Owen is relying on for his Bee baseballers this year.

Jeff Runser heads the mound crew, while all-conference shortstop Dale Burwell pounded the ball at a .385 clip last campaign. Other solid hitters are Tom Meredith and Lou Barinka.

Redskins Wolverine Track Power

Rams Strong In Baseball

South Haven and Paw Paw are developing Wolverine conference powers this spring in different sports.

The Rams, returning 10 lettermen, should be in top contention for the league baseball crown while the Redskins, supporting a star cast from last year, should rate as the team to beat for the conference track championship.

South Haven, 9-7 in Wolverine play last year, features plenty of pitching depth. All-league pick Dan Sherman, who had a 6-4 mark last season while also hitting .353, heads the mound staff. Other hurlers are Dave Gumpert (4-5), Terry Marr, Mike Verdonk, Ken Cullum and Mickey Strebeck.

Pitching depth will be an important item in the Wolverine race with each team playing a 16-game league schedule with three conference games slated each week.

Sherman, Al Watson (.304) and Mike Sweet (.315) should give the Rams batting punch. Other top players should be Tom Capps, Brian Certa, Mike Dornan, Jim Reist and Duane Rogalla.

Dick Doll takes over as Paw Paw baseball coach this season with a solid nucleus, paced by two-time all-league catcher Randy Rhodes.

Joe Gladysz, Rod Austin, Carl Kroshinsky and Steve Rhoderick will handle the mound duties. Infield and outfield candiates include Ron Williams, Joe Vesey, Brian Brooks, Ron Rushing, Mike Price, David Carr, Jim Babin, David Field and Zane Silas.

Ed Dow, Leroy Rushing and Charles Brynelsen are just some of the standouts on the talented Paw Paw track squad, which won the league meet but finished second to Plainwell in the overall standings last season.

Dow, a versatile athlete who can pick up points in almost any event, got off to a flying start last Saturday with two firsts (long jump and high jump) and a second (high hurdles) in the Southwestern Michigan Invitational Track Meet. Rushing, who will miss several weeks with a strepped throat, had the top times in the area last year in the 100 and 200 dashes while also in the top five in the long jump along with Dow. Brynelsen had the second best two-mile clocking last spring.

Others expected to contribute are Rick Weeks — Wolverine pole vault champ, Mel Gipson, Jay Firestone, Mike Thompson, Dave Hoger, Brian Wiler, Norman Cowie, Dennis Gokey, Jim Blake, Rick Mitchell, Charles Reck and Scott Walters.

South Haven has a young track team which hopes to improve over the course of the season.

Only proven performers are Steve Witte, Dave Nelson, Andy Newell and Marc Till, second in the 440 in the Southwestern Invitational last Saturday.

Weiskopf Aiming To Snap String Of Second Places

GREENSBORO, N.C. (AP) — The long drought is about to end, Tom Weiskopf says.

"Not to win in over a year with my golf swing, well, it has to happen," Weiskopf said.

"You can't just keep on playing that good, playing winning golf, championship golf, and not win. It's just a matter of time before it happens."

And Weiskopf, who hasn't won since his banner season of 1973, made it very evident that he's ready to break his string of second place finishes.

He fired a seven - under - par 64 — an absolutely incredible score under the all - but - impossible playing conditions — and established a three-stroke lead in Thursday's first round of the $225,000 Greater Greensboro Open golf tournament.

"That's ridiculous," Johnny Miller said when informed of Weiskopf's score. "Under these conditions, that's absolutely ridiculous."

The temperature was in the 40s. The wind gusted into the perilous area above 50 miles per hour. One player quit because he said it was dangerous. Part of the scoring system was abandoned because two huge trees appeared ready to topple on scoring headquarters.

Several full-grown pines were knocked down. Limbs and branches were scattered all over the 6,643-yard Sedgefield Country Club course.

"I saw one 80-foot pine tree laid out level," said Dave Hill, alone in second after a 67. "If it'd fallen the other way it would have been on the green and they'd have been out there with their little hatchets trying to clear it."

The windblown scores — with the exception of Weiskopf and Hill — went out of sight.

Arnold Palmer and Sam Snead, an eight-time winner of this old event, matched 77s. South African Gary Player, the Masters and British Open champion, had 76. Billy Casper shot 79. Defending title-holder Bob Charles shivered to a 75.

Lee Trevino managed a par 71 and Miller had a 72 despite consecutive double bogeys. Jack Nicklaus is not competing.

But the wind and cold apparently bothered Weiskopf not at all.

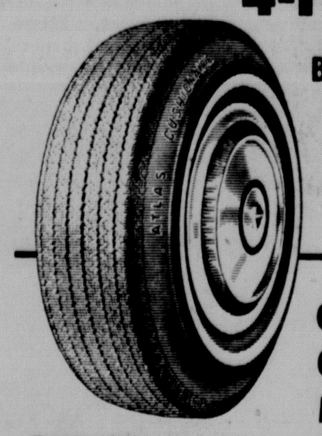
"One of the finest rounds of golf I've ever played in my life," he said.

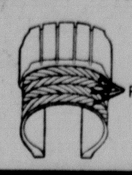


BIRDIE WATCHER: Tom Weiskopf drops into a half crouch while watching a birdie putt go true to the hole on the eighth green in Thursday's opening round of the Greensboro Open. Weiskopf finished with the first round lead on a seven-under-par 64. (AP Wirephoto)

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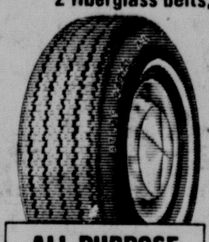
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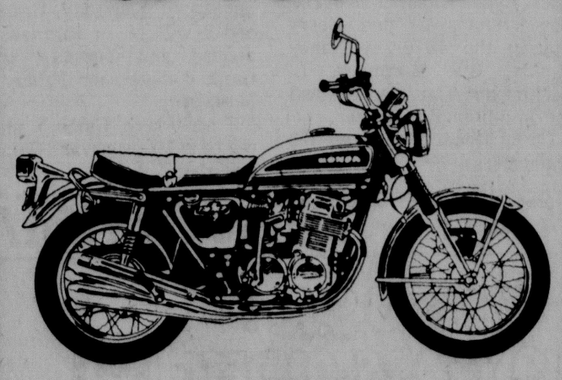
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Teacher Rolls 618 Series

Gustine Sets Good Example

By JERRY DYKSTRA
Staff Sports Writer

"Teacher" Tresa Gustine believes in setting a good example for her "students."

Tresa, in charge of 300 bowlers in the junior bowling program at Blossom Lanes, smashed a 618 series last Sunday night to continue her recent hot streak.

"I've been fighting a 600 for about a month," says Tresa. "I've had a 578, 563 and 587 in the last month. I finally popped it Sunday night."

Tresa tossed games of 189-246-183 for her fifth career 600 series and second highest ever.

The St. Joe resident enjoys her job working with the youngsters on Saturdays.

"It's a big job. I guess it's like being a school teacher...you have to enjoy being around children. And I like kids."

Tresa, a full-time employee of Blossom Lanes, offers tips to the junior bowlers, helps them keep score, keeps league averages and generally sees that things run smoothly.

"Once we get a little organized in the fall I try to pick out bowlers having problems and new bowlers and run classes for them after school for a few weeks. Usually they then can get more confidence and get to the point where they're really going to enjoy bowling."

Tresa, who took over the junior bowling program when Irene Jorgensen moved to Florida, also heads the Inter High School league program on Mondays.

Tresa didn't have the benefit of bowling in the junior leagues. In fact, she didn't start her career until 1957 when she began bowling in a mixed league at White's Lanes in Niles.

Later, Tresa and her family moved to the Twin Cities area where she continued to bowl and improve her average. Tresa even bowled in Brussels, Belgium, for two years when her husband Charles was sent there by Clark Equipment.

Her biggest thrill came in 1970 when she flung her first 600 series — a big 647 which is her best ever. But also ranking high was when Tresa saw her daughter Denise flip a 252 game last year in the junior bowling program.

Tresa, who currently bowls in two leagues and subs in a third, has become an ardent booster of bowling.

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Ellis Just What Doctor Ordered For Pittsburgh

Dock Ellis has picked up this spring where he left off last fall and that may be just what the doctor ordered for the Pittsburgh Pirates.

Ellis allowed three hits and two unearned runs over the first seven innings Thursday in the Pirates' 3-2 exhibition triumph over the Chicago White Sox. In 36 innings this spring he has allowed only one earned tally.

Last July 10 Ellis' record was 3-8 with a 4.54 earned run average. Starting with a 3-1 triumph over Houston on July 15, he won eight consecutive games and nine of 10. During that 9-1 stretch he pitched seven complete games and went into the ninth inning of two others. His ERA was 1.91.

But his season came to an end Sept. 11 when a line drive off the bat of Philadelphia's Willie Montanez fractured his right wrist.

The Pirates defeated the White Sox when Willie Stargell, who earlier belted a solo homer, singled home the winning run in the eighth inning following Richie Hebner's triple.

Elsewhere on the exhibition trail: Oakland A's 10, Los Angeles Dodgers 9; San Diego Padres 2, Cleveland Indians 0; Baltimore Orioles 8, Kansas City Royals 4; Cincinnati Reds 3, Detroit Tigers 1; New York Yankees 7, New York Mets 3; St. Louis Cardinals 10, Houston Astros 5; Minnesota Twins 2, Boston Red Sox 1; Montreal Expos 4, Philadelphia Phillies 3; Chicago Cubs 6, Milwaukee Brewers 4; Atlanta Braves 3, Richmond of the International League 2. The California Angels and San Francisco Giants were rained out.

Bert Campaneris led off the bottom of the ninth with his second home run of the game and Claudell Washington singled home the winning run as the A's rallied to edge the Dodgers. The game between the 1974 World Series rivals drew a crowd of 4,824, largest for the A's in their seven years of training at Mesa, Ariz.

San Diego left-handers Randy Jones, Dave Tomlin and Rich Folkers combined to pitch a one-hitter against Cleveland.

Baltimore's Lee May drove in three runs with a homer and double against Kansas City. Cincinnati's sore-shouldered Gary Nolan breezed through his final tune-up, scattering five hits in seven innings against the Tigers.

Larry Gura pitched seven scoreless innings to outduel Tom Seaver, and Alex Johnson, Walt Williams and Lou Piniella drove in two runs apiece, leading the Yankees past the Mets before a record crowd of 8,439 in Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

St. Louis reached Houston's Larry Dierker for seven runs in the fourth inning — five unearned — in walloping the Astros. Glenn Borgmann's seventh-inning single enabled Minnesota to beat Boston behind Bert Blyleven, who fanned 10 in seven innings.

Philadelphia's Eddie Watt surrendered a bases-loaded walk to Larry Bilttner in the eighth inning, capping a threerun rally that lifted Montreal over the Phillies. Jerry Morales' tie-breaking eighth-inning homer paced the Cubs over the Brewers. Dusty Baker's tworun homer in the third inning helped the Braves down their Richmond farm team.

Exhibition Baseball

Thursday's Results
St. Louis 10, Houston 5
Montreal 4, Philadelphia 3
Atlanta 3, Richmond 2
Baltimore 6, Kansas City 4
Pittsburgh 3, Chicago (A) 2
Cincinnati 3, Detroit 1
Oakland 10, Los Angeles 9
Chicago (N) 6, Milwaukee 4
California vs. San Francisco at Modesto, Calif., rained out
San Diego 2, Cleveland 0
New York (A) 7, New York (N) 3
Minnesota 2, Boston 1
Friday's Games
Boston vs. Cincinnati at Tampa, Fla.
Texas at Houston
Pittsburgh vs. Philadelphia at Clearwater, Fla.
Oakland vs. Cleveland at Tucson, Ariz.
Chicago (N) vs. Milwaukee at Sun City, Ariz.
San Francisco at Santa Clara U.
Minnesota vs. Montreal at Daytona Beach, Fla.
New York (A) vs. Pittsburgh at Bradenton, Fla.
Tulsa vs. St. Louis at St. Petersburg, Fla.
Baltimore vs. Atlanta at Jacksonville, Fla., night
New York (N) vs. Detroit at Lakeland, Fla., night
Los Angeles at California, night
Saturday's Games
Montreal vs. Boston at Winter Haven, Fla.
St. Louis vs. Pittsburgh at Bradenton, Fla.
Minnesota vs. Cincinnati at Orlando, Fla.
Cleveland vs. Oakland at Mesa, Ariz.
Texas at Houston
New York (A) vs. Philadelphia at Clearwater, Fla.
Chicago (A) vs. San Diego at Yuma, Ariz.
Milwaukee vs. Chicago (N) at Albuquerque, N.M.
Kansas City vs. San Francisco at San Jose, Calif.
Detroit vs. New York (N) at St. Petersburg, Fla., night
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EXHIBITION SEASON GAMES

Big Field At Le Mans

LE MANS, France (AP) — The 1975 Le Mans 24-hour auto classic has attracted a record entry of 98 cars for the 55 starting grid positions in the June 14-15 race.

Qualifying will be on June 11-12 for the last running of the 24 hours open to the "monster" sport-prototypes which have dominated the race in recent years — virtually Grand Prix cars with two-seater bodies.

New rules next year will bring the race back to its previous pattern of a speed and endurance test for cars which genuinely could be prototypes of comfortable high-speed grand touring vehicles.

Leading the prototype entrants this year are two threeliter British Gulf-Fords, two French Ligiers and three of the classic Porsche 908 speedsters re-engined with turbocharged Carrera engines under the supervision of old Swiss Le Mans campaigner Herbert Muller.

McEwen Named CFL President

VANCOUVER (AP) — Bill McEwen, a member of the board of directors of the British Columbia Lions, was named president of the Canadian Football League Wednesday.

He succeeds Wes Munsie, past president for four years who will serve as vice chairman of a newly appointed management committee. McEwen is currently president of the Sports Federation of Canada, the umbrella body of amateur sport.

Gowdy MC For Cagers

SPRINGFIELD, Mass. (AP) — Curt Gowdy will be master of ceremonies at the enshrinement dinner of the Naismith Memorial Basketball Hall of Fame April 28.

Three electees to the institution will be honored, and retiring National Basketball Association commissioner Walter Kennedy will receive the John W. Bunn Award for his contributions to the sport.

The new electees are Emil Liston, founder of what became the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics; Robert Vandivier who was named to the all-time, all-star team of Indiana; and Joseph Brennan, a professional player from 1919 to 1936 and later a coach at Manhattan and St. Francis colleges.

First Ball Honor

CLEVELAND (AP) — The Cleveland Indians are calling on Rachel Robinson, the widow of Jackie Robinson, to throw out the first ball when the Indians open their home season play next Tuesday against the New York Yankees.

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MUSKEGON, Mich. (AP) — Muskegon will host Saginaw in the opener of their semifinal International Hockey League Turner Cup playoff series Saturday night.

The complete schedule was announced Thursday. Game 2 and 3 will be in Saginaw on Sunday and Tuesday, with Game 4 slated for Friday in Muskegon.

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Ripley's Believe It or Not!



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LAKELAND, Fla. (AP) — Detroit Tiger Mickey Lolich, trying to shake off the training camp blahs which have plagued him this year, lost his fifth Grapefruit League game of the season Thursday but turned in his best performance so far this spring.

Lolich pitched the entire game and allowed just eight hits, half of which went for extra bases in the 3-1 loss to Cincinnati. The loss was the third straight for Detroit.

"I was keeping my slider down, that was the difference," said Lolich, who was bombed for eight runs in the second inning of his last outing. "I didn't have a lot of velocity but I finally found my slider.

"I was only supposed to go seven innings, but after seven innings I had only thrown 69 pitches. I only threw 81 for the whole game."

"I'm glad for him," said Manager Ralph Houk. "I never was really worried myself. I know he can pitch. I wasn't concerned."

Houk said no one becomes a bad pitcher overnight, adding he knew Lolich would come around as long as his elbow and shoulder were okay. The loss gave The Mick an 0-5 spring season record.

The Tigers' lone run, which came when Nate Colbert hit a double to score Art James in the sixth inning, was the only tally the Tigers have produced in the past three games.

Cincinnati hurler Gary Nolan was the winner, scattering five hits in seven innings. Nolan, now 2-2 for the spring, walked two and struck out five. He has been sidelined for two years with injuries.

Johnny Bench sent Pete Rose across in the first inning with a single and George Foster scored the winning run when Dan Meyer committed an error on a single off the bat of Merv Rettenmund.

Meanwhile, in Detroit, Tiger Stadium lay under a blanket of snow and groundskeepers are worried about field conditions for Tuesday's opener against Baltimore.

"The mound, plate, basepaths, infield grass and skinned portion of the infield were properly covered in time," said Russ Snyder, director of operations at the stadium.

"The infield will be playable. But of course the outfield isn't covered and we don't know about that."

"It's warming up and is supposed to get around 40 degrees. If it warms up enough we'll make an effort to get through it and get that tarp off the infield."

Snyder also said it will have to get unseasonably warm with lots of sun to assure smooth sailing prior to the game.

"We're not panicking yet," he said. "We'll have a much better idea by Sunday. It depends on what happens to that outfield when the snow and ice melts."

"If the weatherman cooperates we'll do everything we can to open up Tuesday."

Last Relays For Coach

EAST LANSING, Mich. (AP) — Michigan State University track coach Fran Dittrich will watch the Spartan Relays for the last time as the school's track coach today and Saturday.

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This running of the event is the 11th, with more than 3,000 athletes expected to compete.

Class B teams perform in the indoor meet today with Class A athletes hitting the track Saturday.

Wyoming Park, defending B champ, is returning with a strong field, while Pontiac, the 1974 Class A crownholder, is expected to get challenges from Jackson, Grosse Pointe North, Fenton and Ann Arbor Pioneer.

Fencing Champs Advance

FULLERTON, Calif. (AP) — Defending champions Greg Benko of Wayne State and Risto Hurme of New York University qualified easily Thursday and Cornell and Notre Dame took the early lead for the team title in the 31st NCAA fencing championships.

Benko, a junior from Wayne State in Detroit who is a native of Melbourne, Australia, was one of 24 qualifiers in the foil division. Hurme, a senior from the defending team champion, is a native of Helsinki, Finland. He led 24 qualifiers in the epee. In addition, 24 men in the sabre class also qualified for Friday's second round.

Cornell and Notre Dame each scored 46 points to take the team lead. Princeton, Columbia and Wayne State were second with 45 points, NYU scored 44 and Harvard had 43.

Thursday's first round took 11½ hours and 736 individual matches were contested, by far the largest field in the 31 years the fencing tournament has been held.

NYU has won four of the last five team titles and 11 of the 30 which have been contested.

Coloma To Hold Bowling Tourney

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Teacher Rolls 618 Series

Gustine Sets Good Example

By JERRY DYKSTRA
Staff Sports Writer

"Teacher" Tresa Gustine believes in setting a good example for her "students."

Tresa, in charge of 300 bowlers in the junior bowling program at Blossom Lanes, smashed a 618 series last Sunday night to continue her recent hot streak.

"I've been fighting a 600 for about a month," says Tresa. "I've had a 579, 583 and 597 in the last month. I finally popped it Sunday night."

Tresa tossed games of 189-246-183 for her fifth career 600 series and second highest ever.

The St. Joe resident enjoys her job working with the youngsters on Saturdays.

"It's a big job. I guess it's like being a school teacher...you have to enjoy being around children. And I like kids."

Tresa, a full-time employee of Blossom Lanes, offers tips to the junior bowlers, helps them keep score, keeps league averages and generally sees that things run smoothly.

"Once we get a little organized in the fall I try to pick out bowlers having problems and new bowlers and run classes for them after school for a few weeks. Usually they then can get more confidence and get to the point where they're really going to enjoy bowling."

Tresa, who took over the junior bowling program when Irene Jorgensen moved to Florida, also heads the Inter High School league program on Mondays.

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Lolich pitched the entire game and allowed just eight hits, half of which went for extra bases in the 3-1 loss to Cincinnati. The loss was the third straight for Detroit.

"I was keeping my slider down, that was the difference," said Lolich, who was bombed for eight runs in the second inning of his last outing. "I didn't have a lot of velocity but I finally found my slider.

"I was only supposed to go seven innings, but after seven innings I had only thrown 69 pitches. I only threw 81 for the whole game."

"I'm glad for him," said Manager Ralph Houk. "I never was really worried myself. I know he can pitch. I wasn't concerned."

Houk said no one becomes a bad pitcher overnight, adding he knew Lolich would come around as long as his elbow and shoulder were okay. The loss gave The Mick an 0-5 spring season record.

The Tigers' lone run, which came when Nate Colbert hit a double to score Art James in the sixth inning, was the only tally the Tigers have produced in the past three games.

Cincinnati hurler Gary Nolan was the winner, scattering five hits in seven innings. Nolan, now 2-2 for the spring, walked two and struck out five. He has been sidelined for two years with injuries.

Johnny Bench sent Pete Rose across in the first inning with a single and George Foster scored the winning run when Dan Meyer committed an error on a single off the bat of Merv Rettenmund.

Meanwhile, in Detroit, Tiger Stadium lay under a blanket of snow and groundskeepers are worried about field conditions for Tuesday's opener against Baltimore.

"The mound, plate, basepaths, infield grass and skinned portion of the infield were properly covered in time," said Russ Snyder, director of operations at the stadium.

"The infield will be playable. But of course the outfield isn't covered and we don't know about that."

"It's warming up and is supposed to get around 40 degrees. If it warms up enough we'll make an effort to get through it and get that tarp off the infield."

Snyder also said it will have to get unseasonably warm with lots of sun to assure smooth sailing prior to the game.

"We're not panicking yet," he said. "We'll have a much better idea by Sunday. It depends on what happens to that outfield when the snow and ice melts."

"If the weatherman cooperates we'll do everything we can to open up Tuesday."

Fencing Champs Advance

FULLERTON, Calif. (AP) — Defending champions Greg Benko of Wayne State and Risto Hurme of New York University qualified easily Thursday and Cornell and Notre Dame took the early lead for the team title in the 31st NCAA fencing championships.

Benko, a junior from Wayne State in Detroit who is a native of Melbourne, Australia, was one of 24 qualifiers in the foil division. Hurme, a senior from the defending team champion, is a native of Helsinki, Finland. He led 24 qualifiers in the epee. In addition, 24 men in the sabre class also qualified for Friday's second round.

Cornell and Notre Dame each scored 46 points to take the team lead. Princeton, Columbia and Wayne State were second with 45 points, NYU scored 44 and Harvard had 43.

Thursday's first round took 11½ hours and 736 individual matches were contested, by far the largest field in the 31 years the fencing tournament has been held.

NYU has won four of the last five team titles and 11 of the 30 which have been contested.

Coloma To Hold Bowling Tourney

COLOMA — The Coloma boys baseball association is sponsoring a Mixed Doubles bowling tournament April 12 and 19 at Coloma Rec. The entry fee is $10 per couple. For more information call Ronald Marks at 468-8533 or Bob Davis at Coloma Rec.



PACKERS PRACTICE: Green Bay Packer rookie defensive back Rick Mordecsi moves out in spring drill Thursday for back coach Jim Colbert (kneeling) while new head coach and general manager Bart Starr looks on. Perry Smith (45) and Barry Houlihan (37) are among those waiting their turn in Packer camp in Scottsdale, Ariz. (AP Wirephoto)

Ellis Just What Doctor Ordered For Pittsburgh

Dock Ellis has picked up this spring where he left off last fall and that may be just what the doctor ordered for the Pittsburgh Pirates.

Ellis allowed three hits and two unearned runs over the first seven innings Thursday in the Pirates' 3-2 exhibition triumph over the Chicago White Sox. In 36 innings this spring he has allowed only one earned tally.

Last July 10 Ellis' record was 3-8 with a 4.54 earned run average. Starting with a 3-1 triumph over Houston on July 15, he won eight consecutive games and nine of 10. During that 9-1 stretch he pitched seven complete games and went into the ninth inning of two others. His ERA was 1.91.

But his season came to an end Sept. 11 when a line drive off the bat of Philadelphia's Willie Montanez fractured his right wrist.

The Pirates defeated the White Sox when Willie Stargell, who earlier belted a solo homer, singled home the winning run in the eighth inning following Richie Hebner's triple.

Elsewhere on the exhibition trail: Oakland A's 10, Los Angeles Dodgers 9; San Diego Padres 2, Cleveland Indians 0; Baltimore Orioles 6, Kansas City Royals 4; Cincinnati Reds 3, Detroit Tigers 1; New York Yankees 7, New York Mets 3; St. Louis Cardinals 10, Houston Astros 5; Minnesota Twins 2, Boston Red Sox 1; Montreal Expos 4, Philadelphia Phillies 3; Chicago Cubs 6, Milwaukee Brewers 4; Atlanta Braves 3, Richmond of the International League 2. The California Angels and San Francisco Giants were rained out.

Bert Campaneris led off the bottom of the ninth with his second home run of the game and Claudell Washington singled home the winning run as the A's rallied to edge the Dodgers. The game between the 1974 World Series rivals drew a crowd of 4,824, largest for the A's in their seven years of training at Mesa, Ariz.

San Diego left-handers Randy Jones, Dave Tomlin and Rich Folkers combined to pitch a one-hitter against Cleveland.

Baltimore's Lee May drove in three runs with a homer and double against Kansas City. Cincinnati's sore-shouldered Gary Nolan breezed through his final tune-up, scattering five hits in seven innings against the Tigers.

Larry Gura pitched seven scoreless innjngs to outduel Tom Seaver, and Alex Johnson, Walt Williams and Lou Piniella drove in two runs apiece, leading the Yankees past the Mets before a record crowd of 8,439 in Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

St. Louis reached Houston's Larry Dierker for seven runs in the fourth inning — five unearned — in walloping the Astros. Glenn Borgmann's seventh-inning single enabled Minnesota to beat Boston behind Bert Blyleven, who fanned 10 in seven innings.

Philadelphia's Eddie Watt surrendered a bases-loaded walk to Larry Biittner in the eighth inning, capping a threerun rally that lifted Montreal over the Phillies. Jerry Morales' tie-breaking eighth-inning homer paced the Cubs over the Brewers. Dusty Baker's tworun homer in the third inning helped the Braves down their Richmond farm team.

Exhibition Baseball

Thursday's Results

St. Louis 10, Houston 5
Montreal 4, Philadelphia 3
Atlanta 3, Richmond 2
Baltimore 6, Kansas City 4
Pittsburgh 3, Chicago (A) 2
Cincinnati 3, Detroit 1
Oakland 10, Los Angeles 9
Chicago (N) 6, Milwaukee 4
California vs. San Francisco at Modesto, Calif., rained out
San Diego 2, Cleveland 0
New York (A) 7, New York (N) 3
Minnesota 2, Boston 1

Friday's Games

Boston vs. Cincinnati at Tampa, Fla.
Texas at Houston
Pittsburgh vs. Philadelphia at Clearwater, Fla.
Oakland vs. Cleveland at Tucson, Ariz.
Chicago (N) vs. Milwaukee at Sun City, Ariz.
San Francisco at Santa Clara U.
Minnesota vs. Montreal at Daytona Beach, Fla.
New York (A) vs. Pittsburgh at Bradenton, Fla.
Tulsa vs. St. Louis at St. Petersburg, Fla.
Baltimore vs. Atlanta at Jacksonville, Fla., night
New York (N) vs. Detroit at Lakeland, Fla., night
Los Angeles at California, night

Saturday's Games

Montreal vs. Boston at Winter Haven, Fla.
St. Louis vs. Pittsburgh at Bradenton, Fla.
Minnesota vs. Cincinnati at Orlando, Fla.
Cleveland vs. Oakland at Mesa, Ariz.
Texas at Houston
New York (A) vs. Philadelphia at Clearwater, Fla.
Chicago (A) vs. San Diego at Yuma, Ariz.
Milwaukee vs. Chicago (N) at Albuquerque, N.M.
Kansas City vs. San Francisco at San Jose, Calif.
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Texas vs. Houston at Houston, Tex.
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EXHIBITION SEASON ENDS

Big Field At Le Mans

LE MANS, France (AP) — The 1975 Le Mans 24-hour auto classic has attracted a record entry of 98 cars for the 55 starting grid positions in the June 14-15 race.

Qualifying will be on June 11-12 for the last running of the 24 hours open to the "monster" sport-prototypes which have dominated the race in recent years — virtually Grand Prix cars with two-seater bodies.

New rules next year will bring the race back to its previous pattern of a speed and endurance test for cars which genuinely could be prototypes of comfortable high-speed grand touring vehicles.

Leading the prototype entrants this year are two threeliter British Gulf-Fords, two French Ligiers and three of the classic Porsche 908 speedsters re-engined with turbocharged Carrera engines under the supervision of old Swiss Le Mans campaigner Herbert Muller.

McEwen Named CFL President

VANCOUVER (AP) — Bill McEwen, a member of the board of directors of the British Columbia Lions, was named president of the Canadian Football League Wednesday.

He succeeds Wes Munsie, past president for four years who will serve as vice chairman of a newly appointed management committee. McEwen is currently president of the Sports Federation of Canada, the umbrella body of amateur sport.

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SPRINGFIELD, Mass. (AP) — Curt Gowdy will be master of ceremonies at the enshrinement dinner of the Naismith Memorial Basketball Hall of Fame April 28.

Three electees to the institution will be honored, and retiring National Basketball Association commissioner Walter Kennedy will receive the John W. Bunn Award for his contributions to the sport.

The new electees are Emil Liston, founder of what became the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics; Robert Vandivier who was named to the all-time, all-star team of Indiana; and Joseph Brennan, a professional player from 1919 to 1936 and later a coach at Manhattan and St. Francis colleges.

First Ball Honor

CLEVELAND (AP) — The Cleveland Indians are calling on Rachel Robinson, the widow of Jackie Robinson, to throw out the first ball when the Indians open their home season play next Tuesday against the New York Yankees.

Last Relays For Coach

EAST LANSING, Mich. (AP) — Michigan State University track coach Fran Dittrich will watch the Spartan Relays for the last time as the school's track coach today and Saturday.

Dittrich, 64, is retiring July 1. He has spent many hours working with prep athletes and this year's relays, a high school event, have been dedicated to him.

This running of the event is the 11th, with more than 3,000 athletes expected to compete.

Class B teams perform in the indoor meet today with Class A athletes hitting the track Saturday.

Wyoming Park, defending B champ, is returning with a strong field, while Pontiac, the 1974 Class A crownholder, is expected to get challenges from Jackson, Grosse Pointe North.

Mohawks Host Gears In Opener

MUSKEGON, Mich. (AP) — Muskegon will host Saginaw in the opener of their semifinal International Hockey League Turner Cup playoff series Saturday night.

The complete schedule was announced Thursday. Game 2 and 3 will be in Saginaw on Sunday and Tuesday, with Game 4 slated for Friday in Muskegon.

If necessary, Game 5 and 7 will be at Muskegon and Game 6 at Saginaw.

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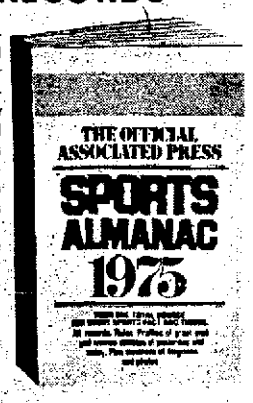
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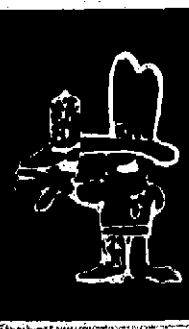
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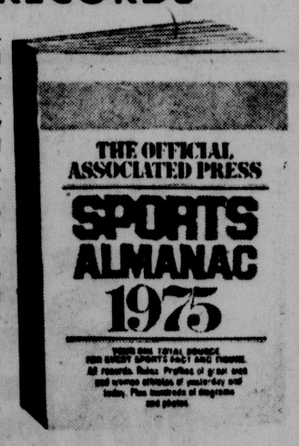
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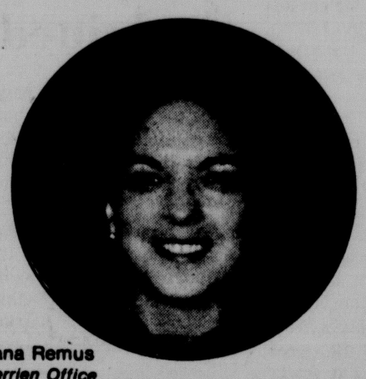
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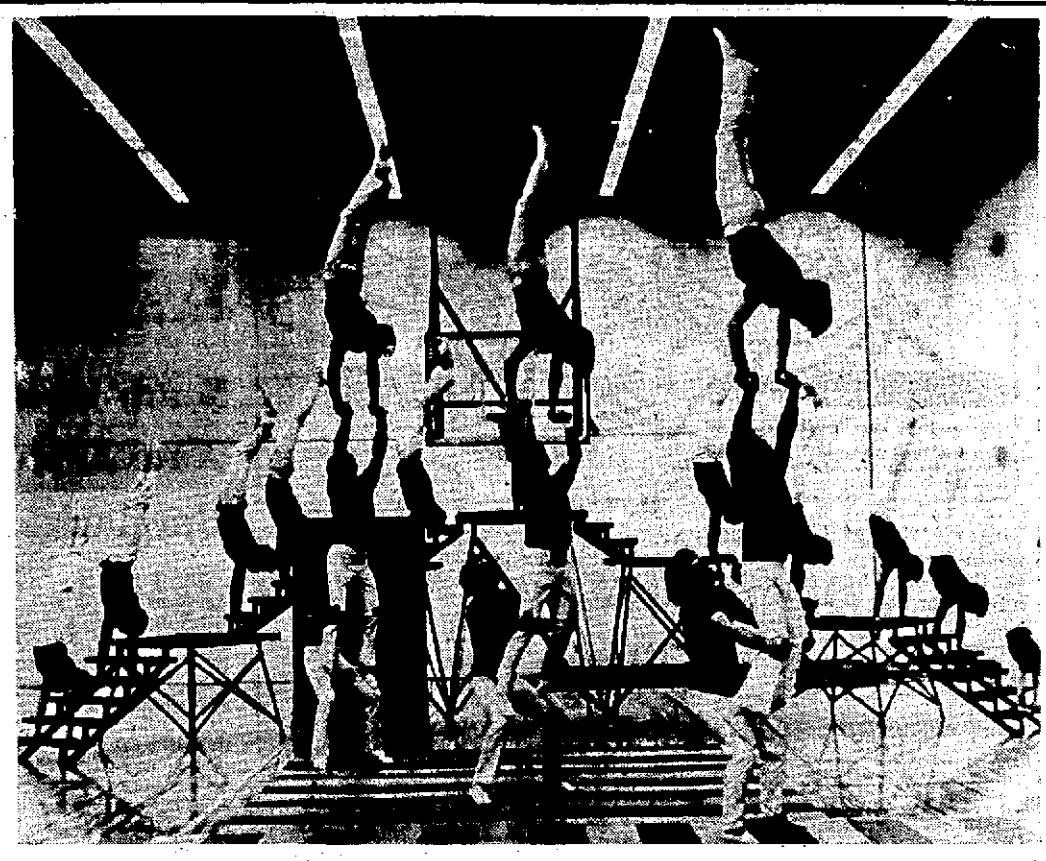
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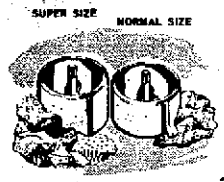
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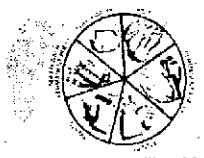
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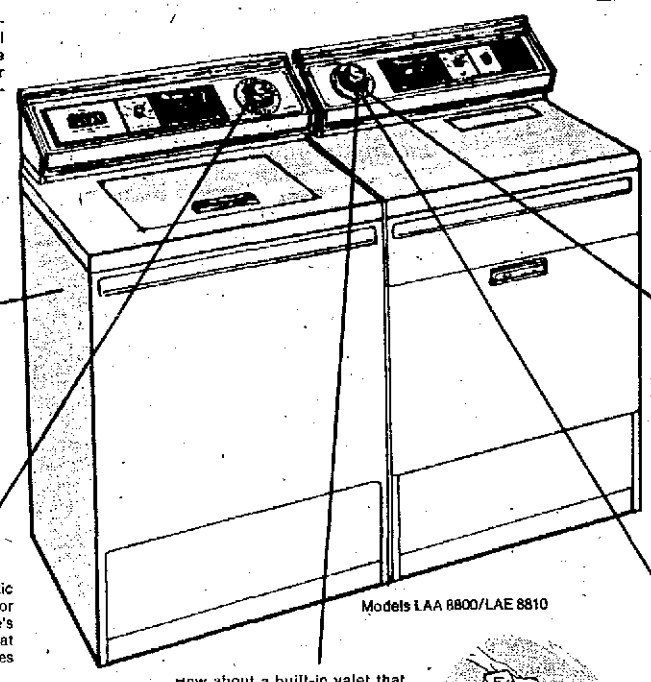
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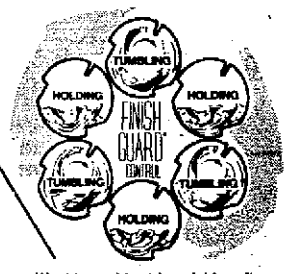


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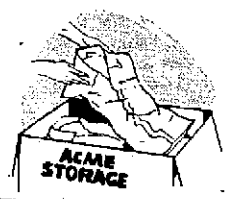
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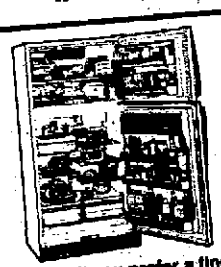
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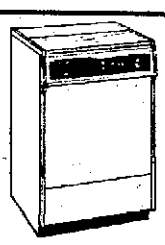
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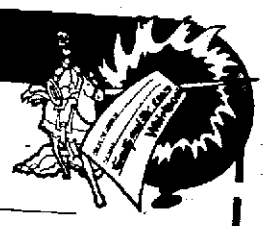
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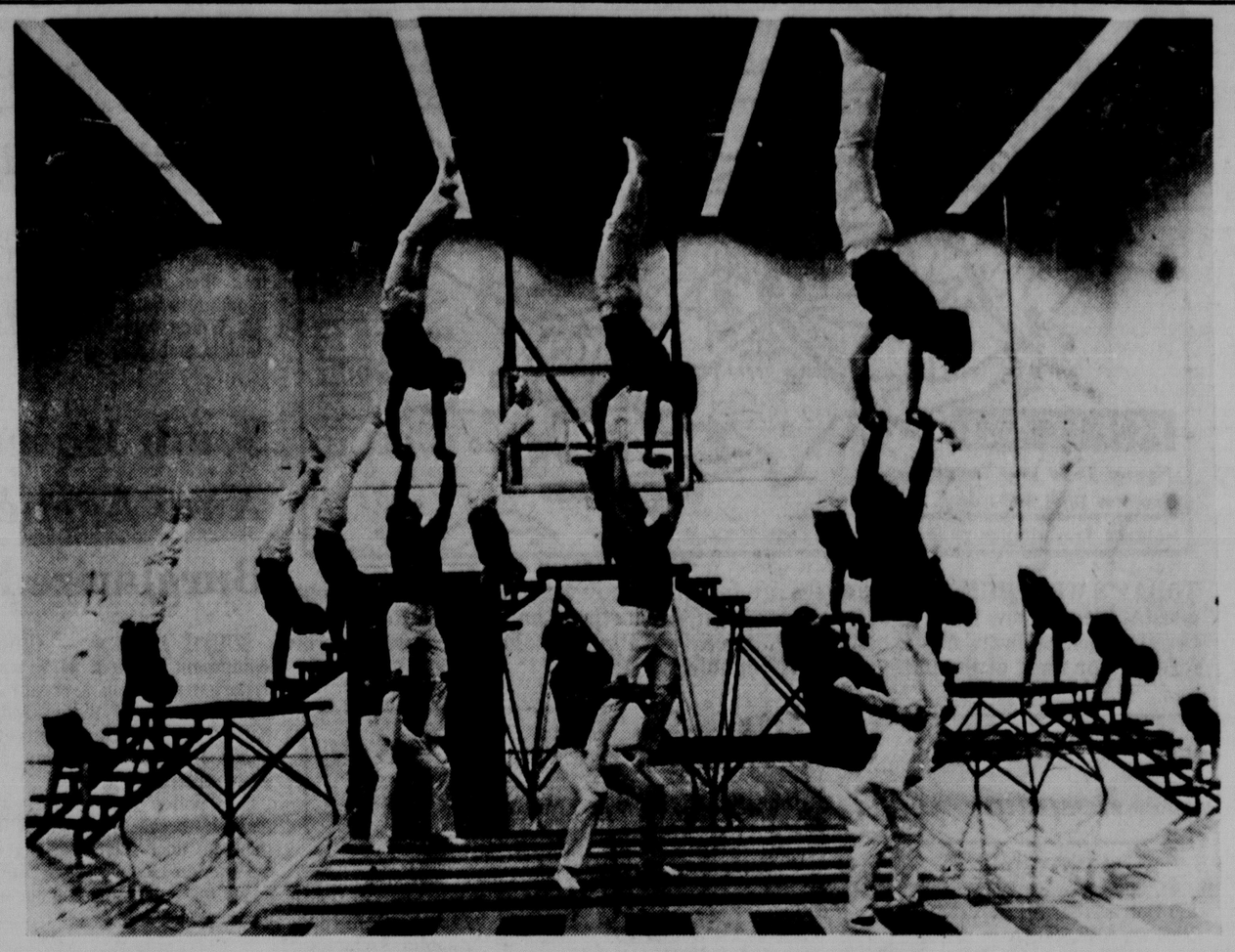
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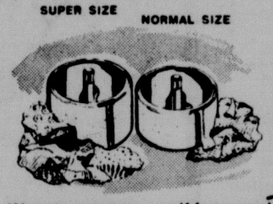
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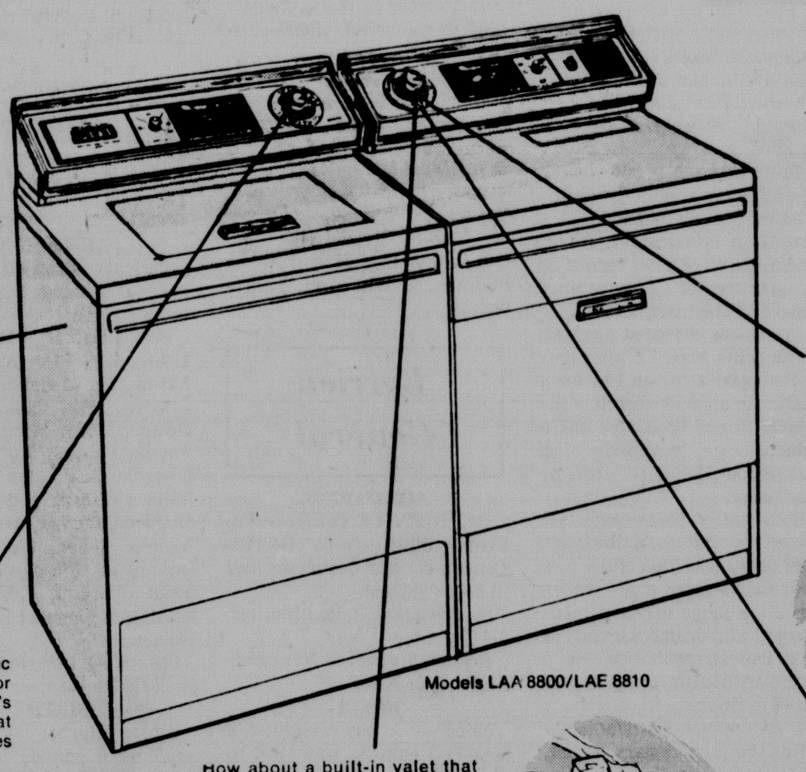
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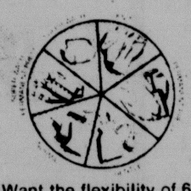


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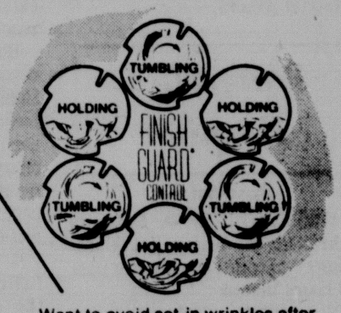
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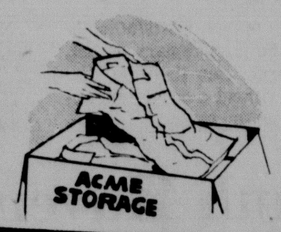
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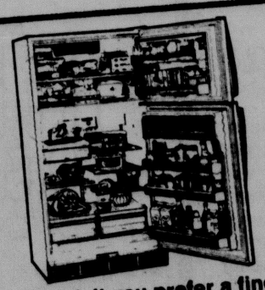
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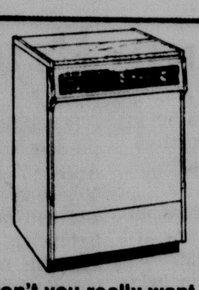
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Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Dalton claimed in their suit that Mrs. Dalton underwent surgery April 3, 1973, at Buchanan Community hospital, and that she developed a high fever and other complications on April 13. They claim she was operated on and treated at the Buchanan hospital by the two doctors but had to be transferred to the University of Michigan hospital for major surgery.

The Daltons claims the doctors failed to properly diagnose and treat the woman's illness, and claim the faulty operation necessitated the additional surgery at U-M hospital.

Named defendants were Drs. J. Russell Ham-Ying and Albert Kull.

Carl and Elva Methling, of Coloma, seek a total of $130,000 as the result of an alleged accident Oct. 12, 1974, on I-94 in Porter county, Ind. Methling is a lieutenant with the Berrien sheriff's department.

The suit claims another car swerved in front of and hit Methling's car, which was then struck by another auto. Named defendant and identified as the driver of the car which allegedly caused the accident was Thurvin Love, of Niles.

Van Buren Marriage Licenses

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Robin Lee Stanislawski, 19, and Ruth Irene Jablonski, 19, both of Breedsville.

Jimmy Earl Kimble, 21, and Laleita Oden, 19, both of Bangor.

Glenn Garlough Hayes, 48, Decatur, and Maria Elena Leary, 48, Tucson, Ariz.

Gerald Richard Kuhn, 22, and Linda Louise Gedeon, 26, both of South Haven.

Rodney Lane Jarvis, 18, and Winona Kay Martin, 18, both of Gobles.

Dale Levern Cooper, 22, Gobles, and Patricia Ann Sabeck, 17, Paw Paw.

Snatcher Gets Purse, No Money

SOUTH HAVEN — A South Haven woman told city police here her purse was snatched at she left a grocery store last night.

Mrs. Harold Lute, 119 Park avenue, said she was confronted by a man, described as black and between the ages of 18 and 20, as she left the Foodtown grocery, 418 Broadway, South Haven, at approximately 9:45 p.m. Mrs. Lute was not injured.

The victim said there was no money in the purse, but that it contained a check book and personal papers.

Watervliet Hospital

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By DENNIS COGSWELL
Paw Paw Bureau

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Placed on pre-sentence investigation were Michael Edward Ritter, 20, route 1, 44th street, Mattawan, and Arnold Preib, 19, Paw Paw. Both had been charged with possession of marijuana.

Ritter was taken into custody by Mattawan police Feb. 7 following a disturbance at a Mattawan laundromat. Police said a search of a car turned up a quantity of a substance believed to be marijuana.

Preib was arrested by Mattawan police March 2, after they had stopped a car on I-94 for a traffic violation. A search of the vehicle turned up a pipe and a substance wrapped in cellophane believed to be marijuana.

Both guilty pleas were accepted by Judge William C. Buhl under a section of the controlled substances act, which permits a judge to put persons charged with drug possession or drug use on probation for a period without entering a verdict of guilty.

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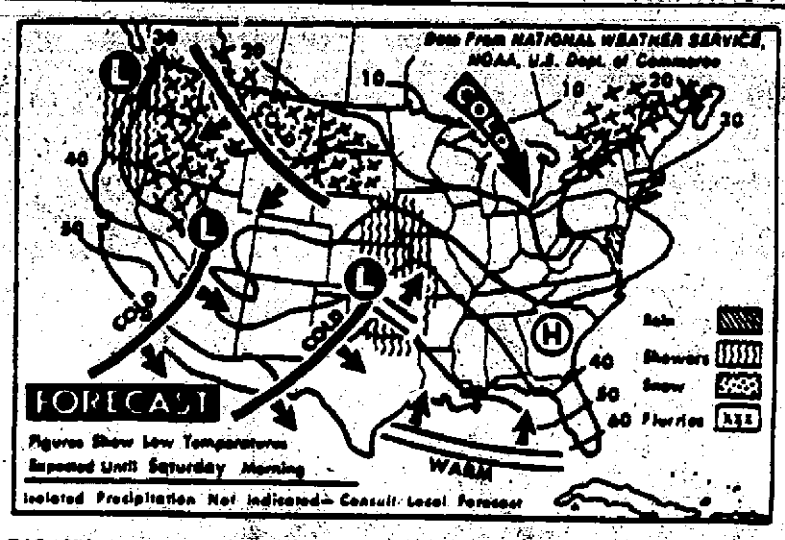
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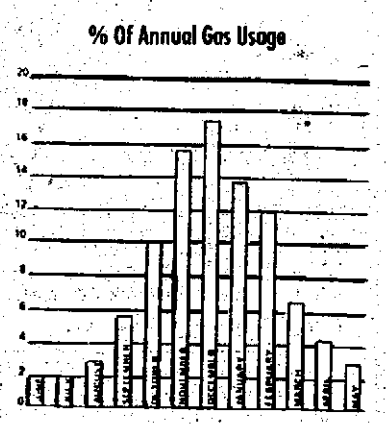
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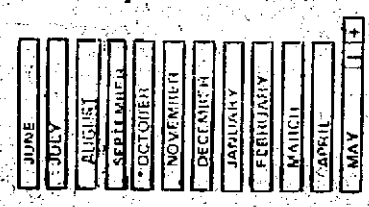
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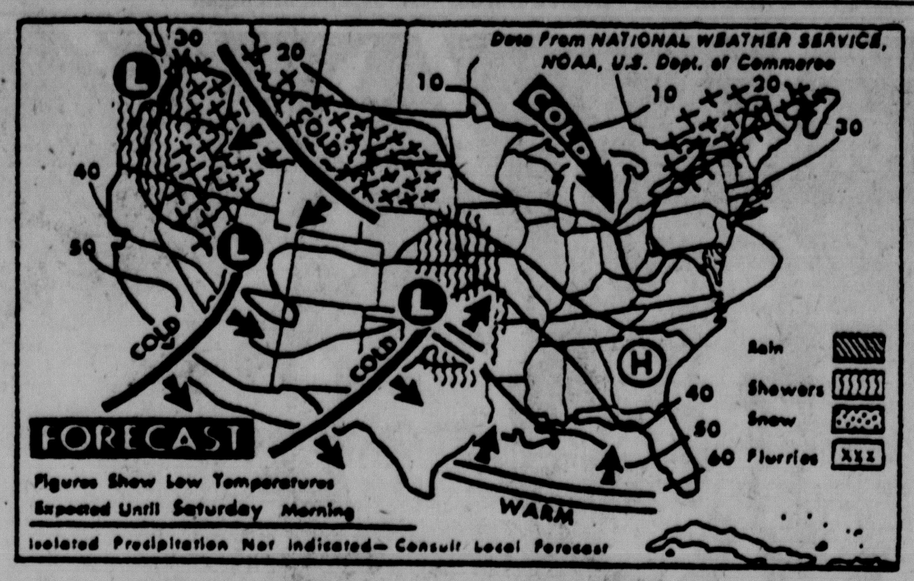
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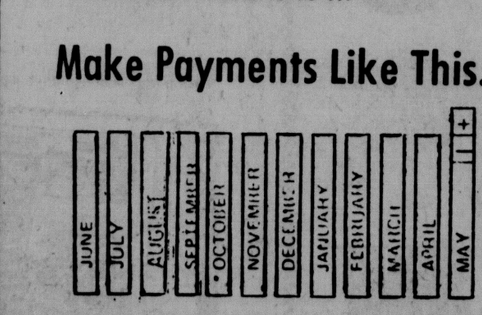
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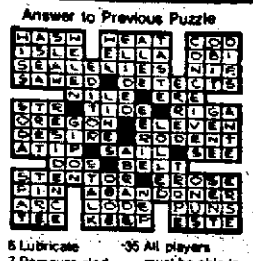
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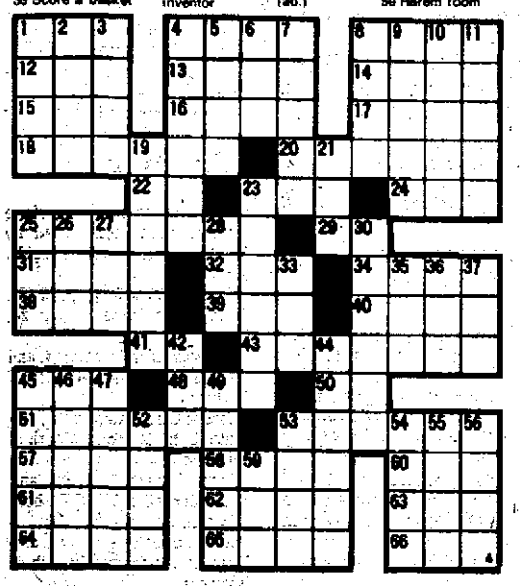
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65 Merit
66 Powerful explosive

DOWN

1 Horse feed
2 One
3 Goodby (colt.)
4 Treat
5 Elevator inventor
6 Lubricate
7 Removes rind
8 One player can be this
9 Mountain crest
10 Cubic decimeter
11 Acquire knowledge
19 Dozed
21 Ever (poet.)
23 Help from another player
25 Squeeze through small space
26 Utah Indian
27 Center (prefix)
28 Cheer at game
30 Pulpy red fruit
33 Female saint (ab.)
35 All players must be able to do this
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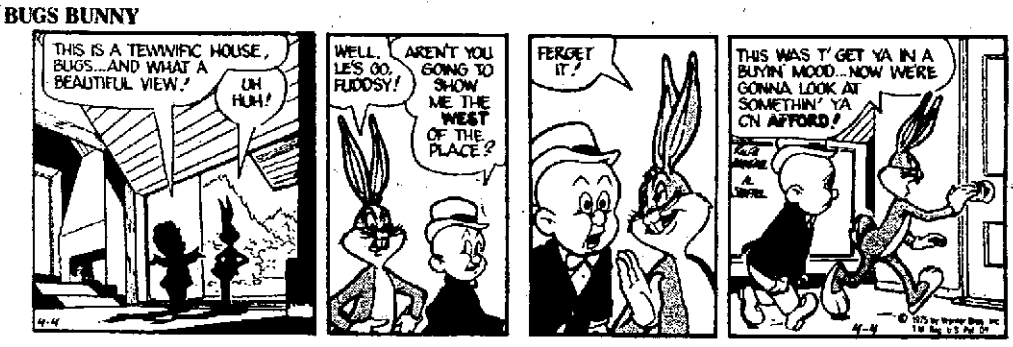
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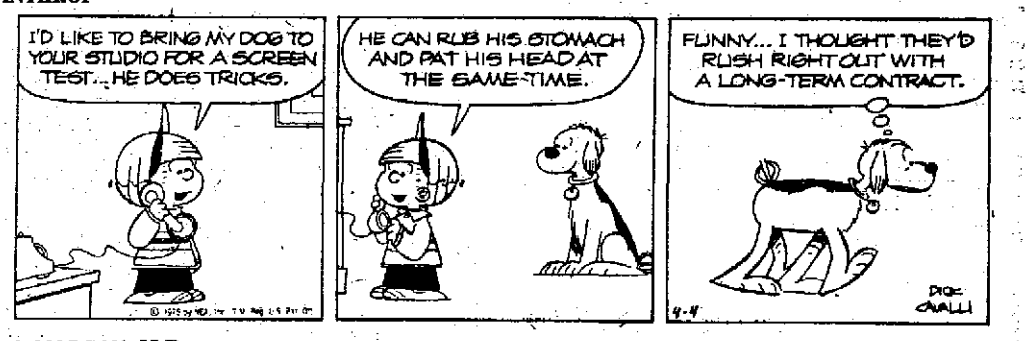
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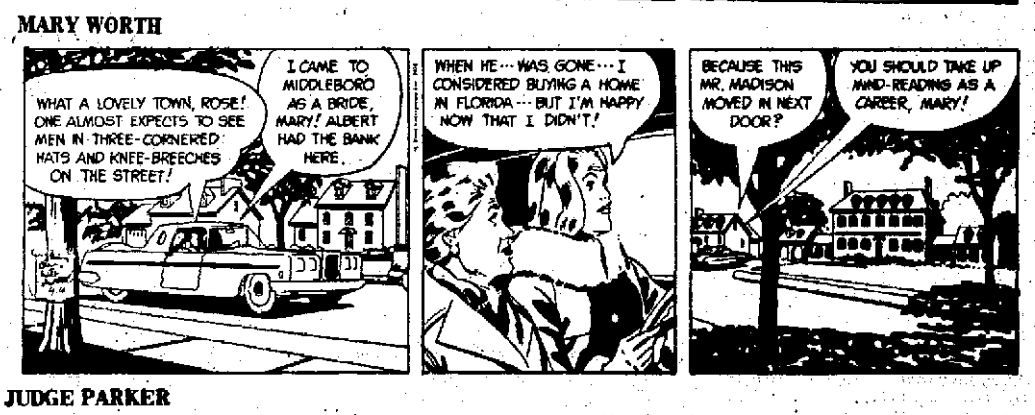
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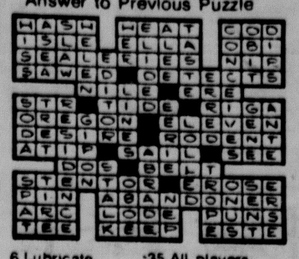
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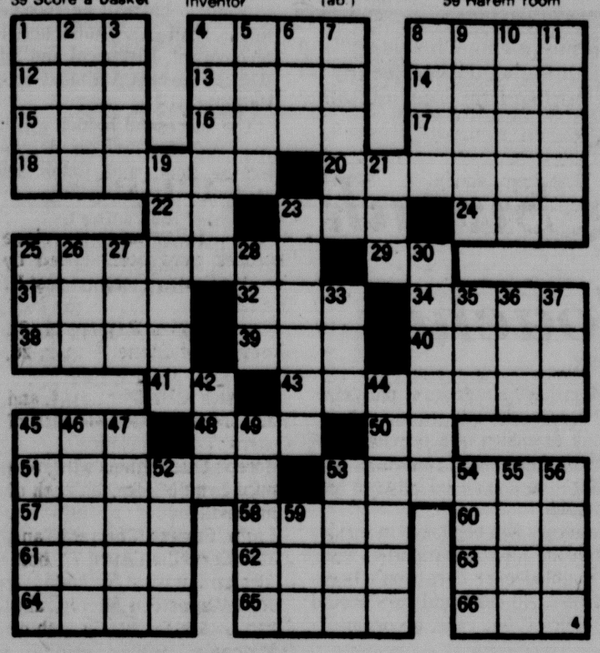
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38 Media native
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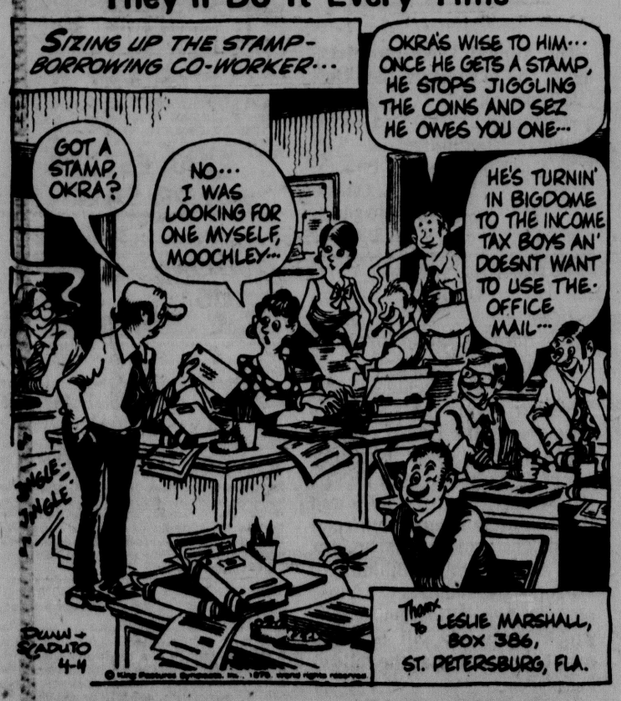
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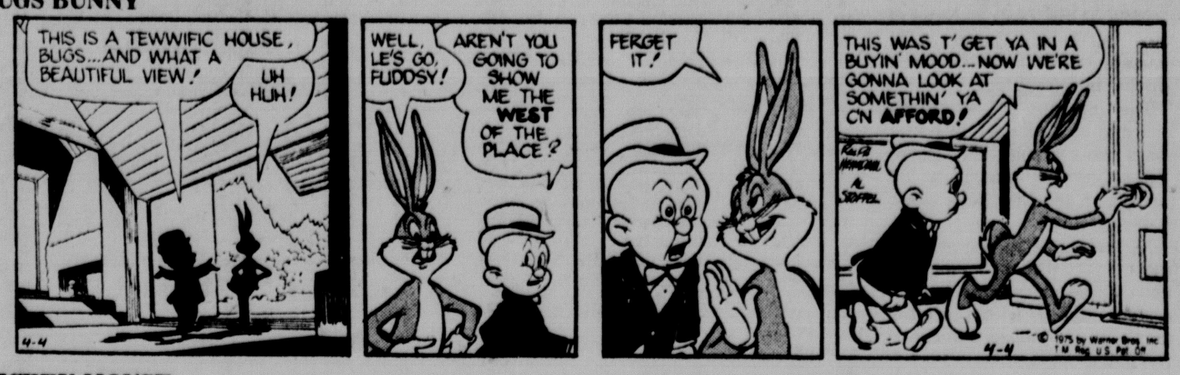
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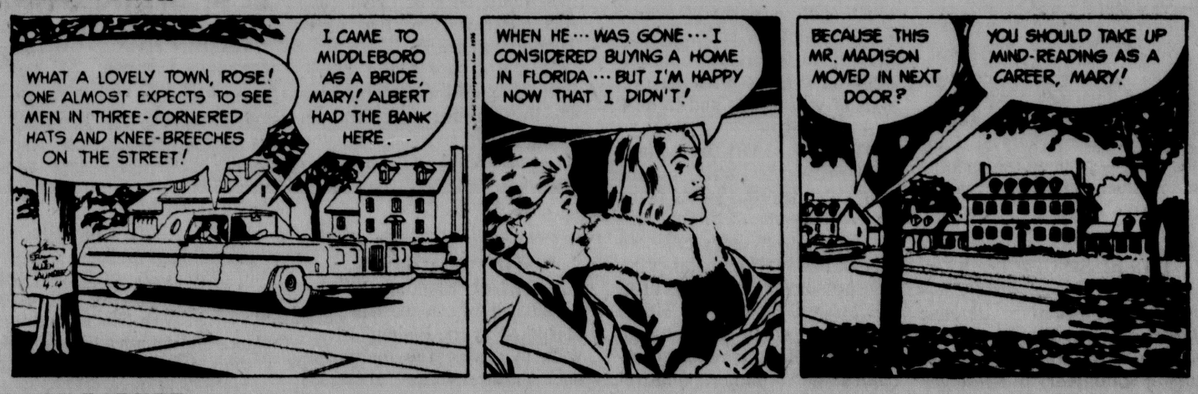
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Shares of Citicorp, parent holding company of First National City, eased ⅛ to 32.

Sears Sales Dip 2.9%; Others Up

NEW YORK (AP) — March sales for Sears, Roebuck & Co., the nation's largest retailer, declined 2.9 per cent over a year ago. It was the store's sharpest sales reversal in more than 15 years.

The nation's next three largest retailers, however, reported higher March sales results compared with a year ago. S.S. Kresge, Co., the leading discount chain, led with a 26.4 per cent increase.

J.C. Penney Co. reported a 7.9 per cent increase and F.W. Woolworth a 17.6 per cent increase.

Easter and spring clothing sales helped to counter the continuing hold that unemployment and inflation has on consumer spending, some of the stores said Thursday.

High household electric bills continued to depress sales of appliances directly affecting Sears, which stocks appliances more heavily than most retail department store chains.

Retail sales, including food and automobiles, fell 4.1 per cent in the last week in March compared with the previous week but were 4 per cent higher than a year ago, according to the Commerce Department.

Sales for March for the four big retailers looked like this: Sears, $1 billion against $1.03 billion in 1974; J.C. Penney, $501.6 million, against $464.8 million; Kresge, $434.82 million, against $343.93 million; and Woolworth, $311.4 million, against $264.8 million.

LOCAL GRAIN

BUCHANAN CO-OP
BUCHANAN, MICHIGAN

No. 1 Soybeans 5.39 down 14
No. 1 New Soybeans 5.04 down 9
No. 1 White Oats no quote
No. 2 Rye 2.00 steady
No. 2 Barley 1.83 steady
No. 2 Ear Corn 2.65 down 6
No. 2 Shelled Corn 2.70 down 6
No. 2 New Corn 2.20 down 3
No. 2 Wheat 3.46 down 8
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These are the markets as of this morning — prior to the opening of the Chicago Board of Trade.

HITS KISSINGER TALKS

CAMDEN, Del. (AP) — Former Israeli Defense Minister Moshe Dayan says the shuttle negotiations by Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger are not the way to bring a lasting peace to the Middle East.

New York Stocks

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44	31¼	Gen Motors	40⅜	2⅜	1½	United Foods	2⅛
22⅞	15⅞	Gen Tel & Elec	20¼	8⅞	6⅜	Uniroyal	8¼
14⅞	10⅝	Gen Tire	13⅜	15	11¼	Union Oil Prod	12⅜
33	21¼	Gillette	30⅜	59½	39¾	US Steel	55⅞
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15⅛	10⅜	Ill Cent	13½	14½	9⅞	West Un Tel	13¼
224¾	157¼	Int Bus Mch	198	15½	9¾	Westinghouse	13½
27	19¾	Int Harv	25⅛	14⅜	9⅜	Woolworth	13¾
43⅝	34⅝	Int Pap	41⅞	18⅞	10	Zenith Rad	17¼

LOCAL LISTED SECURITIES

Supplied by
FIRST OF MICHIGAN CORPORATION, 810 Ship St., St. Joe.

	1975 High	1975 Low	Yesterday's Close
American Metals-Climax	41⅞	28¾	41¾
Bendix Corp	34½	21⅝	31
Clark Equip	32	22⅜	27¼
Consolidated Foods	18½	12⅜	13
Hoover Ball and Bearing Co	15⅝	12¾	14¾
Hammermill Paper	16¾	12⅛	15½
Hayes-Albion Corp	10⅜	7½	9¼
Kaehring	9¾	4⅜	7⅛
Mich Gas Utilities	12⅜	8½	11¼
National Standard	16½	11⅜	14⅛
Pet, Inc.	23⅞	16⅜	22½
Schlumberger	116⅜	91	108⅞
Whirlpool Corp	25⅜	15⅛	23½
Wickes Corp	13¼	7⅞	11⅞

INVESTORS' GUIDE

Let Scare Tactics Be Warning To You

By SAM SHULSKY

Q. We are elderly and retired with more than $100,000 in certificates of deposit in FDIC-insured banks and FSLIC-insured savings and loans. We were invited out to dinner by an investment company where we were told that our certificates were poor investments and very risky. They suggested we turn over our investments to them and that we would thereby be able to avoid income taxes. Is this true?

A. I don't know the investment company and don't know its program. However, any money manager who frightens elderly investors with "your Federal agency-insured savings are risky" is certainly off my list. This, to my mind, constitutes reprehensible tactics.

You can get all the arguments you want about cash savings constituting a poor investment. I grant you there are some questions about an all cash investment program for a man of 27. But to frighten a 72-year-old by saying these deposits are unsafe is enough for me to rule such advisors out of bounds. I would cross them off my list.

I would do nothing. If the savings certificates are doing a job for you, stay with them and ignore all these high pressure scare-tactic advisors. If you want to try to increase income by 1 per cent or so, you could consider AAA bonds with part of your money.

But make NO move until you have had a chance to sit down with a banker or broker you trust (not necessarily over a free dinner). A cardinal rule here is to ignore anyone who tells you to make a 100 per cent shift of your funds and to do it by 4 p.m. today.

UTILITY YIELDS: Many readers are attracted by the relatively generous yields being offered by some of the nation's leading power companies. A recent list by John J. Ledda, vice president and senior utilities analyst for Shields Model Roland, stock exchange members, classifies these companies as "higher quality-medium risk": Central Louisiana Electric, Central and Southwest, Houston Lighting & Power, Idaho Power, Indianapolis Power & Light, Louisville Gas & Electric, Northern Indiana Public Service, Oklahoma Gas & Electric, Public Service Indiana, Southern Indiana Gas & Electric, Southwestern Public Service, Tampa Electric, Texas Utilities, Wisconsin Electric Power.

Despite the fact this group leads Mr. Ledda's survey, yields, even after the recent market rise, still are generous, ranging from about 5½ per cent on the Texas Utilities to as high as 9.5 per cent on Indianapolis Power & Light.

MR. SHULSKY welcomes written questions, but he will be able to provide answers only through the column.

For information on retirement, and pre-retirement planning, please include a self-addressed, stamped envelope. Address your requests to Sam Shulsky, care of this newspaper.

Blizzard Stranded Occupants

Benton township firemen reported the William Crockett family was stranded in Benton Harbor by the snow storm while their home on Blue Creek road was destroyed by fire early Thursday morning.

At the time of the blaze, firemen could not determine who lived in the house. Firemen said cause is not known, but the blaze apparently started in the basement.

SCIENCE ADVISOR

NORWICH, England (AP) — An advisor of science has been appointed by the Bishop of Norwich to advise the bishop on such matters as abortion, euthanasia, population control and human organ transplants.

Airline's '74 Profit Sets Record

WAUSAU, Wis. — North Central Airlines in 1974 had the most profitable year in its history, stockholders were told at their annual meeting this week.

Hal N. Carr, chairman of the board and chief executive officer, said the company achieved record earnings of $8,204,000 (66 cents per share) and revenues of $151,490,000. Retained earnings rose to $27,044,000, he reported, and stockholders' equity climbed to $47,152,000.

"The company's debt-to-equity ratio of 0.69 to 1 is one of the best among the nation's 18 scheduled carriers," Carr said.

North Central is paying a cash dividend of 10 cents per share of common stock. The airline has nearly 40,000 stockholders and 12,311,852 shares of common stock outstanding.

Stockholders elected the following directors: Carr, Samuel H. Maslon, Jay Phillips, Morton B. Phillips, and H. P. Skoglund, Minneapolis; G. F. DeCoursin, Dallas, John M. Lawrence, Bryan, Texas; Theodore R. Miles, Chicago; Chan Gurney, Yankton, S.D.; Joseph E. Rapkin, Milwaukee; Henry M. Ross, Midland, Va.; Bernard Sweet, St. Paul; and K. B. Willett, Stevens Point, Wis.

In reviewing 1974, Carr noted that the $151,490,000 in revenue showed an 18 percent increase over the year before. Operating expenses rose 15 percent to $133,496,000, for an operating profit of $17,994,000. After other expenses, the company realized $15,696,000 in earnings before taxes — highest in the regional airline industry — and the net earnings of $8,204,000.

Passenger traffic remained strong in 1974. The airline boarded a record 4,548,000 passengers and, for the third consecutive year, flew more than a billion passenger miles. The 12,585,000 cargo ton miles flown were down six percent.

Israeli Official Told To Wait As U.S. Mulls Policy

WASHINGTON (AP) — Israeli Defense Minister Shimon Peres, who intended to visit this country to discuss new arms aid for his nation, has been asked to stay home while the United States reassesses its Middle East Policy.

State Department officials disclosed this Thursday as other administration sources confirmed that talks about providing Israel with F15 jet fighters planes and an advanced missile system also have been suspended because of the reassessment. The policy study is expected to end in about a week.



SKETCH OF RAIL CAR: This is artist's rendering of the upper and lower section of coach car of type to be built for Amtrak. Amtrak announced Wednesday in Washington it has ordered 235 double-decker cars to be used on long distance trains. (AP Wirephoto)

Amtrak Ordering Swank Double-Decker Coaches

WASHINGTON (AP) — Passengers traveling long distances on Amtrak will be able to ride in 235 new double-decker cars to be delivered in 1977.

The new cars, to be built by Pullman - Standard Co. of Chicago, "will drastically change the look and the style of American train travel," Amtrak President Paul Reistrup said Wednesday.

Seats in these cars will be spaced as far apart as first-class seats on airplanes and will have folding-tray tables on their backs. The climate will be electrically controlled, and the cars will have an intercom system, new air bag suspension systems and sound-absorbing materials.

In addition to the Pullman double-deckers, Amtrak has ordered 200 single-level passenger cars from the Budd Co. of Philadelphia.

This order is an extension of a previous Amtrak order for 292 stainless steel passenger cars similar to the Metroliner cars used between New York and Washington.

The first of these cars will be placed in service by Amtrak within the next few months, while delivery of the doubledecker cars won't begin until January of 1977. All 492 Budd cars should be delivered by June of that year, according to Amtrak.

Reistrup predicted the new equipment, which will cost a total of $253 million, will enable Amtrak to improve its cost-to-revenue ratio and insure greater reliability.

8 MILLION JOBLESS

U.S. Unemployment Rate Rises To 8.7%

WASHINGTON (AP) — The nation's unemployment rate jumped to 8.7 per cent in March as the number of Americans without jobs increased to eight million, the government reported today.

The Labor Department said job losses last month totaled nearly 200,000 and this, combined with a rise of 300,000 in the size of the U.S. labor force, pushed the increase in unemployment to 500,000 over the previous month.

The loss in jobs dropped total employment in the nation to 83.3 million, and marked the sixth consecutive month of job losses. They have totaled 2.6 million since last September.

Analysts with the Bureau of Labor Statistics said the March figures show no indication of any abatement in the nation's rising unemployment rate, which now is at the highest level since 1941 when joblessness averaged 9.9 per cent.

Unemployment since last fall has climbed at the fastest rate since the Great Depression. It hit 8.2 per cent in January and remained at that level in February, when the decline in jobs was offset by a sharp increase in labor force dropouts.

Finance Report Hearing

LANSING, Mich. (AP) — An April 15 public hearing will be held here on proposed administrative rules for the state's new Campaign Finance Reporting Act. The law goes into effect July 1.

Secretary of State Richard Austin said the proposed rules concern reporting of campaign contributions and expenditures by candidates for public office, as well as by political committees. He said the proposed rules include specifics such as the contents of the reports and when and where they are to be filed.

The hearing will begin at 9 a.m. at Lansing's Civic Center.

No Pay Increases

DETROIT (AP) — Mayor Coleman Young told labor union leaders Thursday they must forego scheduled pay increases or face 1,500 permanent layoffs. Young said the layoffs would include 550 policemen and 175 firemen and would begin April 15. He said the pending wage increases amount to about 8 per cent.

The mayor said the city must act to trim $23 million off a projected $100 million deficit projected for June 30, 1976. He said temporary layoffs of 1,591 employes, 366 pending layoffs and a hiring freeze already have cut $52 million from the deficit.

IRA May End Cease-Fire

BELFAST, Northern Ireland (AP) — A leader of the Irish Republican Army says it may call off a 52-day-old cease-fire unless the British army stops harassment in Roman Catholic areas of Belfast.

House Plans Gas Tax

SALEM, Ore. (AP) — The House Ways and Means Committee will approve gasoline tax increases with exemptions for basic driving needs, Rep. Al Ullman, committee chairman, has predicted. The Oregon Democrat told a news conference Thursday that the committee will start work in closed session next week on a comprehensive energy package. He added that the proposal to exempt a certain number of miles from increased gasoline taxes offers the most promise as a discipline for the American motorist. "We will develop a program that is tough and supported by Congress," the congressman said. He is in Oregon for the Easter recess.

Tax Rates

WASHINGTON (AP) — Here are tables illustrating the effect on weekly take-home pay of the new federal withholding tax rates due to go into effect April 30.

The tables presuppose that wage earners take all the withholding allowances to which they are entitled and that persons earning more than $15,000 a year take itemized deductions amounting to 17 per cent of their gross income.

The first column represents Annual Pay, the second the New Weekly Witholding Tax, and the third the Weekly Take-home Increase.

Single Persons		
$ 5,000	$ 9.67	$2.37
$10,000	$ 30.79	$1.41
$15,000	$ 52.79	$3.00
$20,000	$ 77.70	$4.35
$25,000	$107.13	$3.53
$30,000	$141.75	$2.56
$35,000	$176.37	$1.59
Married Cple — No Children		
$ 5,000	$ 3.29	$ 5.17
$10,000	$ 21.66	$ 2.18
$15,000	$ 38.29	$ 6.75
$20,000	$ 58.38	$ 2.94
$25,000	$ 81.14	$ 7.67
$30,000	$107.10	$ 3.45
$35,000	$136.53	$19.00
Married Cple — Two Children		
$ 5,000	none	$ 3.86
$10,000	$ 15.90	$ 3.32
$15,000	$ 33.40	$ 4.73
$20,000	$ 51.18	$ 3.11
$25,000	$ 73.07	$ 3.86
$30,000	$ 97.69	$12.86
$35,000	$126.17	$ 8.62

The table for single persons includes unmarried heads of households.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE

The Annual Township Meeting of the electors of New Buffalo Township will be held at the Township Hall, 17425 Red Arrow Highway, beginning at 2:00 P.M. Saturday, April 5, 1975.

Edward L. Ollime
Township Clerk

April 4, 1975 H.P. Adv.

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

New Administration Building
Hartford Public Schools
Hartford, Michigan

Sealed proposals will be received at the Library of the Hartford High School, Hartford, Michigan up to 8:00 p.m., EST., on Monday, April 14, 1975 and then publicly opened and read aloud. The project consists of a New Administration Building.

Proposals, contract forms, plans and specifications under which the work will be done may be examined at the following places:

1. Office of Board of Education, Hartford, Michigan
2. Office of Kingscott Associates, Inc., Architects-Engineers, 511 Monroe Street, Kalamazoo, Michigan, where sets may be obtained.
3. Builders Exchange of Kalamazoo, Michigan, 2020 Lovers Lane, Kalamazoo, Michigan.
4. Builders and Traders Exchange at Grand Rapids, Michigan.
5. F. W. Dodge Corp., Grand Rapids and Kalamazoo, Michigan.
6. Tri-County Contractors, 201 East Ransom, Kalamazoo, Michigan 49007.

A Certified Check, Bidder's Bond or Bank Draft payable to Mrs. Lyall Boothby, Secretary, Board of Education, for the sum not less than 5% of the amount of the proposal will be required with each proposal conditioned to secure the Board of Education from loss or damage by reason of withdrawal of the bid or failure of the Bidder to enter into a contract or performance if the bid be accepted by the Board.

The Board of Education reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals and to waive any irregularities in proposals.

A single bid will be received for all Construction, Mechanical, Electrical and Site Work of the New Administration Building.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish Performance Bond and Labor and Material Bond in the full amount of the Contract.

No bid may be withdrawn for at least 30 days.

HARTFORD PUBLIC SCHOOLS
By: Mrs. Lyall Boothby
Secretary

March 28, April 4, 1975 H.P. Adv.

Legal Notice

The undersigned will sell at public sale for cash to the highest bidder a, 1973 Ford Pinto Runabout, Serial Number 3X11X173223 on April 7, 1975, at 3:00 p.m. at First National Bank of Southwestern Michigan, 210 East Main Street, Niles, Michigan, where vehicle is stored and may be inspected. We reserve the right to bid.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Lost And Found 1

LOST 2 MONTH OLD BLK & WHITE SPOTTED PUPPY, VICINITY OF TERRITORIAL & BENTON CENTER. REWARD. PH. 925-4867

$50 REWARD for the return of or reliable info. concerning the whereabouts of an 11 mo. old male Golden Brown German Shepherd. Answers to "Ben". Very gentle. Missing in the Vicinity of Tiscornia Beach & Jean Klock Park area. Messages can be left anytime. Have answering service. 983-5449. No questions asked.

Personals 5

BUYING & SELLING — Silver & all types coins. OWENS COIN SHOP, 51403 US 31 N. So. Bend, IN. 46637. Ph. 219-272-0710.

HOTLINE — Need Help? For someone who listens & cares call 471-2886 between 7 P.M. & 11 P.M. A free community service.

PRIVATE DETECTIVE AGENCY. LEAVITT INVESTIGATION & SECURITY. PH. 927-2533.

NOTICE TO JACK STROUD — Please contact us about your furniture, or it will be sold to pay for storage cost. M. JACKSON.

I will not be responsible for any bills or debts except those contracted by myself. NALMA F. DUNN

NEED SOMEONE TO TALK OVER A PROBLEM WITH? Berrien County has a FREE Volunteer phone service, were people trained to listen. Call.... HELP LINE 927-4447 or Toll Free 1-800-442-7245

Special Notices 6

FIGURETTES ½ PRICE! STEVENSVILLE CALL 429-5018

NEW STONEWARE — Coffee mugs, ash trays & pots all in wildflower patterns. CARROLL CRAFTS, St. Joe.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

Houses for Sale 8

HOUSE FOR SALE. HANDYMAN'S SPECIAL. BEST OFFER. 391 Niles, B.H. PH. 925-9958.

4 BEDRM HOUSE—Paneled thru-out. 1088 block McAllister. 2 blocks from store, laundromat & gas station. $7000 cash as is. Ph 926-2502 or 983-3163 anytime.

NEAR LIONS PARK IN ST. JOE.
Be part of the adventure of living on Lake Michigan with this 2 bedrm. aluminum sided bungalow, complete with full basement, standing fireplace, spacious kitchen with L-shaped bar and much more! Owner knows an attorney who will handle the closing at Seller's expense. Priced at $18,000 but reasonable offers will be considered. For more information, Call 983-5364 aft. 5

SO. ST. JOE — 3 bedrm. ranch. Eat-in kitchen, dining rm, large fec room, large lot. $26,900. Ph. 429-1644.

FOR SALE OR RENT — Just 2 blocks from stoplight, in the town of Watervliet is this 2 bedrm. cottage with kitchenette & bath & liv'g. rm. This place is priced to sell, by owner. Ph. 468-7630 or 463-3083.

NEW CUSTOM BUILT HOME
Beautiful traditional country home on 1 acre lot. Choice area, Beautiful trees. Decorated graciously, beam ceilings, custom cabinets, wall to wall carpeting, formal living room & dining room, family room with fireplace, country kitchen & mud room, 3 bedrooms, including master suite, 2½ baths, 2½ car garage, Aga so's Harbert, Michigan. (Chikaming Twp.) 20 MIN. FROM ST. JOE
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(616) 469-4118

Muskegon Gets $50 Million Steel Mill

MUSKEGON, Mich. (AP) — A $50 million electric steel mill initially employing 500 persons will open in Muskegon in the summer of 1977, state officials said Thursday. The payroll at the facility will total $9 million a year and eventually some 1,000 persons will be employed, said J. B. Klemp, president of North Star Steel of St. Paul, Minn., which will build the steel mill.

Klemp and Michigan Gov. William Milliken announced construction of the plant in a joint statement. The mill will produce concrete reinforcing bars and shapes used in manufacturing agricultural machinery, appliances, oil field and railroad equipment and forgings. North Star Steel is owned by Cargill Inc. of Minneapolis. The Muskegon facility will be developed in stages, with the first phase completed in 1977. The second phase, to be launched within four years, will double the plant's production to 800,000 tons a year and will represent an additional investment of about $20 million, officials said. "I am especially pleased that the mini-mill, since it does not start with raw iron ore, is a very clean operation," Milliken said. "Scrap will be melted by an electric arc furnace rather than an open hearth or oxygen-fed furnace."

Key elements in the company's decision to build in Michigan were the state's labor force and role as a major consumer of mini-mill products, adequate raw materials, energy capability and a transportation system, Milliken said.

NEWS OF MARKETS

Market Resumes Retreat

NEW YORK (AP) — News of a further jump in unemployment kept the stock market in retreat today.

The opening Dow Jones average of 30 industrials was down about a point, and losers led gainers by nearly a 2-1 margin on the New York Stock Exchange.

As trading began the government reported that the nation's unemployment rate hit 8.7 per cent in March, with the total number of jobless workers reaching 8 million.

Hopes for a further decline in the prime lending rate, meanwhile, went unfulfilled as New York's First National City Bank changed its formula for computing the basic charge on corporate loans and held the key rate unchanged at 7¼ for the coming week.

Today's prices included Fairchild Camera, down ⅝ at 40¼; Central Soya, down ⅛ at 11 and Deere & Co., down ¼ at 38¼.

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38½	32⅜	Ford Mot	35⅝	12½	5¼	TWA	10⅛
49½	32⅜	Gen Elec	45⅜	56⅞	37¼	Union-Camp	54½
25⅝	18⅜	Gen Fds	23	58¼	40⅛	Un Carbide	55¾
44	31¼	Gen Motors	40¾	2⅜	1½	United Foods	2⅛
22⅞	16⅞	Gen Tel & Elec	20¼	8⅞	6⅝	Uniroyal	8¼
14⅞	10⅝	Gen Tire	13⅜	15	11¼	Union Oil Prod	12¾
33	21¼	Gillette	30¾	59½	38¼	US Steel	55⅞
17½	12¾	Goodyear	17⅛	36½	25	Warn Lambert	30⅝
15⅛	10¾	Ill Cent	13½	14½	9⅞	West Un Tel	13¼
224¾	157¼	Int Bus Mch	198	15½	9¾	Westinghouse	13½
27	19¾	Int Harv	25⅛	14¾	9⅜	Woolworth	13¾
43⅞	34⅝	Int Pap	41⅞	18⅞	10	Zenith Rad	17¼

LOCAL LISTED SECURITIES

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	1975 High	1975 Low	Yesterday's Close
American Metals-Climax	41⅞	28¾	41¾
Bendix Corp	34½	21¾	31
Clark Equip	32	22⅜	27¼
Consolidated Foods	18¼	12⅜	13
Hoover Ball and Bearing Co	15⅜	12¾	14¾
Hammermill Paper	16¾	12⅛	15½
Hayes-Albion Corp	10¾	7½	9¼
Koehring	9¾	4⅜	7⅛
Mich Gas Utilities	12⅜	8½	11¼
National Standard	16½	11⅜	14⅛
Pet, Inc	23⅞	16⅜	22½
Schlumberger	116⅜	91	108⅞
Whirlpool Corp	25⅜	15⅛	23¼
Wickes Corp	13¼	7⅞	11⅜

Sears Sales Dip 2.9%; Others Up

NEW YORK (AP) — March sales for Sears, Roebuck & Co., the nation's largest retailer, declined 2.9 per cent over a year ago. It was the store's sharpest sales reversal in more than 15 years.

The nation's next three largest retailers, however, reported higher March sales results compared with a year ago. S.S. Kresge, Co., the leading discount chain, led with a 26.4 per cent increase.

J.C. Penney Co. reported a 7.9 per cent increase and F.W. Woolworth a 17.6 per cent increase.

Easter and spring clothing sales helped to counter the continuing hold that unemployment and inflation has on consumer spending, some of the stores said Thursday.

High household electric bills continued to depress sales of appliances directly affecting Sears, which stocks appliances more heavily than most retail department store chains.

Retail sales, including food and automobiles, fell 4.1 per cent in the last week in March compared with the previous week but were 4 per cent higher than a year ago, according to the Commerce Department.

Sales for March for the four big retailers looked like this: Sears, $1 billion against $1.03 billion in 1974; J.C. Penney, $501.6 million, against $464.8 million; Kresge, $434.82 million, against $343.93 million; and Woolworth, $311.4 million, against $264.8 million.

LOCAL GRAIN

BUCHANAN CO-OP
BUCHANAN, MICHIGAN

No. 1 Soybeans 5.39 down 14
No. 1 New Soybeans 5.04 down 9
No. 1 White Oats no quote
No. 2 Rye 2.00 steady
No. 2 Barley 1.83 steady
No. 2 Ear Corn 2.65 down 6
No. 2 Shelled Corn 2.70 down 6
No. 2 New Corn 2.20 down 3
No. 2 Wheat 3.46 down 8
No. 2 New Wheat 3.17 down 6

These are the markets as of this morning — prior to the opening of the Chicago Board of Trade.

HITS KISSINGER TALKS

CAMDEN, Del. (AP) — Former Israeli Defense Minister Moshe Dayan says the shuttle negotiations by Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger are not the way to bring a lasting peace to the Middle East.

INVESTORS' GUIDE

Let Scare Tactics Be Warning To You

By SAM SHULSKY

Q. We are elderly and retired with more than $100,000 in certificates of deposit in FDIC-insured banks and FSLIC-insured savings and loans. We were invited out to dinner by an investment company where we were told that our certificates were poor investments and very risky. They suggested we turn over our investments to them and that we would thereby be able to avoid income taxes. Is this true?

A. I don't know the investment company and don't know its program. However, any money manager who frightens elderly investors with "your Federal agency-insured savings are risky" is certainly off my list. This, to my mind, constitutes reprehensible tactics.

You can get all the arguments you want about cash savings constituting a poor investment. I grant you there are some questions about an all cash investment program for a man of 27. But to frighten a 72-year-old by saying these deposits are unsafe is enough for me to rule such advisors out of bounds. I would cross them off my list.

I would do nothing. If the savings certificates are doing a job for you, stay with them and ignore all these high pressure scare-tactic advisors. If you want to try to increase income by 1 per cent or so, you could consider AAA bonds with part of your money.

But make NO move until you have had a chance to sit down with a banker or broker you trust (not necessarily over a free dinner). A cardinal rule here is to ignore anyone who tells you to make a 100 per cent shift of your funds and to do it by 4 p.m. today.

UTILITY YIELDS: Many readers are attracted by the relatively generous yields being offered by some of the nation's leading power companies. A recent list by John J. Ledda, vice president and senior utilities analyst for Shields Model Roland,' stock exchange members, classifies these companies as "higher quality-medium risk": Central Louisiana Electric, Central and Southwest, Houston Lighting & Power, Idaho Power, Indianapolis Power & Light, Louisville Gas & Electric, Northern Indiana Public Service, Oklahoma Gas & Electric, Public Service Indiana, Southern Indiana Gas & Electric, Southwestern Public Service, Tampa Electric, Texas Utilities, Wisconsin Electric Power.

Despite the fact this group leads Mr. Ledda's survey, yields, even after the recent market rise, still are generous, ranging from about 5½ per cent on the Texas Utilities to as high as 9.5 per cent on Indianapolis Power & Light.

MR. SHULSKY welcomes written questions, but he will be able to provide answers only through the column.

For information on retirement, and pre-retirement planning, please include a self-addressed, stamped envelope. Address your requests to Sam Shulsky, care of this newspaper.

Blizzard Stranded Occupants

Benton township firemen reported the William Crockett family was stranded in Benton Harbor by the snow storm while their home on Blue Creek road was destroyed by fire early Thursday morning.

At the time of the blaze, firemen could not determine who lived in the house. Firemen said cause is not known, but the blaze apparently started in the basement.

SCIENCE ADVISOR

NORWICH, England (AP) — An advisor of science has been appointed by the Bishop of Norwich to advise the bishop on such matters as abortion, euthanasia, population control and human organ transplants.

Airline's '74 Profit Sets Record

WAUSAU, Wis. — North Central Airlines in 1974 had the most profitable year in its history, stockholders were told at their annual meeting this week.

Hal N. Carr, chairman of the board and chief executive officer, said the company achieved record earnings of $8,204,000 (66 cents per share) and revenues of $151,490,000. Retained earnings rose to $27,044,000, he reported, and stockholders' equity climbed to $47,152,000.

"The company's debt-to-equity ratio of 0.69 to 1 is one of the best among the nation's 18 scheduled carriers," Carr said.

North Central is paying a cash dividend of 10 cents per share of common stock. The airline has nearly 40,000 stockholders and 12,311,852 shares of common stock outstanding.

Stockholders elected the following directors: Carr, Samuel H. Maslon, Jay Phillips, Morton B. Phillips, and H. P. Skoglund, Minneapolis; G. F. DeCoursin, Dallas, John M. Lawrence, Bryan, Texas; Theodore R. Miles, Chicago; Chan Gurney, Yankton, S.D.; Joseph E. Rapkin, Milwaukee; Henry M. Ross, Midland, Va.; Bernard Sweet, St. Paul; and K. B. Willett, Stevens Point, Wis.

In reviewing 1974, Carr noted that the $151,490,000 in revenue showed an 18 percent increase over the year before. Operating expenses rose 15 percent to $133,496,000, for an operating profit of $17,994,000. After other expenses, the company realized $15,696,000 in earnings before taxes — highest in the regional airline industry — and the net earnings of $8,204,000.

Passenger traffic remained strong in 1974. The airline boarded a record 4,546,000 passengers and, for the third consecutive year, flew more than a billion passenger miles. The 12,585,000 cargo ton miles flown were down six percent.

Israeli Official Told To Wait As U.S. Mulls Policy

WASHINGTON (AP) — Israeli Defense Minister Shimon Peres, who intended to visit this country to discuss new arms aid for his nation, has been asked to stay home while the United States reassesses its Middle East Policy.

State Department officials disclosed this Thursday as other administration sources confirmed that talks about providing Israel with F15 jet fighters planes and an advanced missile system also have been suspended because of the reassessment. The policy study is expected to end in about a week.



SKETCH OF RAIL CAR: This is artist's rendering of the upper and lower section of coach car of type to be built for Amtrak. Amtrak announced Wednesday in Washington it has ordered 235 double-decker cars to be used on long distance trains. (AP Wirephoto)

Amtrak Ordering Swank Double-Decker Coaches

WASHINGTON (AP) — Passengers traveling long distances on Amtrak will be able to ride in 235 new double-decker cars to be delivered in 1977.

The new cars, to be built by Pullman - Standard Co. of Chicago, "will drastically change the look and the style of American train travel," Amtrak President Paul Reistrup said Wednesday.

Seats in these cars will be spaced as far apart as first-class seats on airplanes and will have folding-tray tables on their backs. The climate will be electrically controlled, and the cars will have an intercom system, new air bag suspension systems and sound-absorbing materials.

In addition to the Pullman double-deckers, Amtrak has ordered 200 single-level passenger cars from the Budd Co. of Philadelphia.

This order is an extension of a previous Amtrak order for 292 stainless steel passenger cars similar to the Metroliner cars used between New York and Washington.

The first of these cars will be placed in service by Amtrak within the next few months, while delivery of the doubledecker cars won't begin until January of 1977. All 492 Budd cars should be delivered by June of that year, according to Amtrak.

Reistrup predicted the new equipment, which will cost a total of $253 million, will enable Amtrak to improve its cost-to-revenue ratio and insure greater reliability.

8 MILLION JOBLESS

U.S. Unemployment Rate Rises To 8.7%

WASHINGTON (AP) — The nation's unemployment rate jumped to 8.7 per cent in March as the number of Americans without jobs increased to eight million, the government reported today.

The Labor Department said job losses last month totaled nearly 200,000 and this, combined with a rise of 300,000 in the size of the U.S. labor force, pushed the increase in unemployment to 500,000 over the previous month.

The loss in jobs dropped total employment in the nation to 83.3 million, and marked the sixth consecutive month of job losses. They have totaled 2.6 million since last September.

Analysts with the Bureau of Labor Statistics said the March figures show no indication of any abatement in the nation's rising unemployment rate, which now is at the highest level since 1941 when joblessness averaged 9.9 per cent.

Unemployment since last fall has climbed at the fastest rate since the Great Depression. It hit 8.2 per cent in January and remained at that level in February, when the decline in jobs was offset by a sharp increase in labor force dropouts.

Finance Report Hearing

LANSING, Mich. (AP) — An April 15 public hearing will be held here on proposed administrative rules for the state's new Campaign Finance Reporting Act. The law goes into effect July 1.

Secretary of State Richard Austin said the proposed rules concern reporting of campaign contributions and expenditures by candidates for public office, as well as by political committees. He said the proposed rules include specifics such as the contents of the reports and when and where they are to be filed.

The hearing will begin at 9 a.m. at Lansing's Civic Center.

No Pay Increases

DETROIT (AP) — Mayor Coleman Young told labor union leaders Thursday they must forego scheduled pay increases or face 1,500 permanent layoffs. Young said the layoffs would include 550 policemen and 175 firemen and would begin April 15. He said the pending wage increases amount to about 9 per cent.

The mayor said the city must act to trim $23 million off a projected $100 million deficit projected for June 30, 1976. He said temporary layoffs of 1,591 employes, 366 pending layoffs and a hiring freeze already have cut $52 million from the deficit.

IRA May End Cease-Fire

BELFAST, Northern Ireland (AP) — A leader of the Irish Republican Army says it may call off a 52-day-old cease-fire unless the British army stops harassment in Roman Catholic areas of Belfast.

House Plans Gas Tax

SALEM, Ore. (AP) — The House Ways and Means Committee will approve gasoline tax increases with exemptions for basic driving needs, Rep. Al Ullman, committee chairman, has predicted. The Oregon Democrat told a news conference Thursday that the committee will start work in closed session next week on a comprehensive energy package. He added that the proposal to exempt a certain number of miles from increased gasoline taxes offers the most promise as a discipline for the American u otorist. "We will develop a program that is tough and supported by Congress," the congressman said. He is in Oregon for the Easter recess.

Tax Rates

WASHINGTON (AP) — Here are tables illustrating the effect on weekly take-home pay of the new federal withholding tax rates due to go into effect April 30.

The tables presuppose that wage earners take all the withholding allowances to which they are entitled and that persons earning more than $15,000 a year take itemized deductions amounting to 17 per cent of their gross income.

The first column represents Annual Pay, the second the New Weekly Witholding Tax, and the third the Weekly Take-home Increase.

Single Persons		
$ 5,000	$ 9.67	$2.37
$10,000	$ 30.79	$1.44
$15,000	$ 52.79	$3.00
$20,000	$ 77.70	$4.35
$25,000	$107.13	$3.53
$30,000	$141.75	$2.56
$35,000	$176.37	$1.59
Married Cple — No Children		
$ 5,000	$ 3.29	$ 5.17
$10,000	$ 21.66	$ 2.18
$15,000	$ 38.29	$ 6.75
$20,000	$ 58.38	$ 2.94
$25,000	$ 81.14	$ 7.67
$30,000	$107.10	$ 3.45
$35,000	$136.53	$19.00
Married Cple — Two Children		
$ 5,000	none	$ 3.86
$10,000	$ 15.90	$ 3.33
$15,000	$ 33.40	$ 4.73
$20,000	$ 51.18	$ 3.11
$25,000	$ 73.07	$ 3.08
$30,000	$ 97.69	$12.86
$35,000	$126.17	$ 8.62

The table for single persons includes umarried heads of households.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE

The Annual Township Meeting of the electors of New Buffalo Township will be held at the Township Hall, 17425 Red Arrow Highway, beginning at 2:00 P.M. Saturday, April 5, 1975.

Edward L. Ohime
Township Clerk

April 4, 1975 H.P. Adv.

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New Administration Building
Hartford Public Schools
Hartford, Michigan

Sealed proposals will be received at the Library of the Hartford High School, Hartford, Michigan up to 8:00 p.m., EST., on Monday, April 14, 1975 and then publicly opened and read aloud. The project consists of a New Administration Building.

Proposals, contract forms, plans and specifications under which the work will be done may be examined at the following places:

1. Office of Board of Education, Hartford, Michigan
2. Office of Kingscott Associates, Inc., Architects-Engineers, 511 Monroe Street, Kalamazoo, Michigan, where sets may be obtained.
3. Builders Exchange of Kalamazoo, Michigan, 2930 Lovers Lane, Kalamazoo, Michigan.
4. Builders and Traders Exchange at Grand Rapids, Michigan.
5. F. W. Dodge Corp., Grand Rapids and Kalamazoo, Michigan.
6. Tri-County Contractors, 201 East Ransom, Kalamazoo, Michigan 49007

A Certified Check, Bidder's Bond or Bank Draft payable to Mrs. Lyall Boothby, Secretary, Board of Education, for the sum not less than 5% of the amount of the proposal will be required with each proposal conditioned to secure the Board of Education from loss or damage by reason of withdrawal of the bid or failure of the Bidder to enter into a contract or performance if the bid be accepted by the Board.

The Board of Education reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals and to waive any irregularities in proposals.

A single bid will be received for all Construction, Mechanical, Electrical and Site Work of the New Administration Building.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish Performance Bond and Labor and Material Bond in the full amount of the Contract.

No bid may be withdrawn for at least 30 days.

HARTFORD PUBLIC SCHOOLS
By: Mrs. Lyall Boothby
Secretary

March 28, April 4, 1975 H.P. Adv.

Legal Notice

The undersigned will sell at public sale for cash to the highest bidder a, 1973 Ford Pinto Runabout, Serial Number 3X11X173223 on April 7, 1975, at 3:00 p.m. at First National Bank of Southwestern Michigan, 210 East Main Street, Niles, Michigan, where vehicle is stored and may be inspected. We reserve the right to bid.

First National Bank
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Niles, Michigan

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The undersigned will sell at public sale for cash to the highest bidder a, 1971 Chevrolet Chevelle, Serial Number 136371K119591 on April 7, 1975, at 3:00 p.m. at First National Bank of Southwestern Michigan, 210 East Main Street, Niles, Michigan, where vehicle is stored and may be inspected. We reserve the right to bid.

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Muskegon Gets $50 Million Steel Mill

MUSKEGON, Mich. (AP) — A $50 million electric steel mill initially employing 500 persons will open in Muskegon in the summer of 1977, state officials said Thursday. The payroll at the facility will total $8 million a year and eventually some 1,000 persons will be employed, said J. B. Klemp, president of North Star Steel of St. Paul, Minn., which will build the steel mill.

Klemp and Michigan Gov. William Milliken announced construction of the plant in a joint statement. The mill will produce concrete reinforcing bars and shapes used in manufacturing agricultural machinery, appliances, oil field and railroad equipment and forgings. North Star Steel is owned by Cargill Inc. of Minneapolis. The Muskegon facility will be developed in stages, with the first phase completed in 1977. The second phase, to be launched within four years, will double the plant's production to 600,000 tons a year and will represent an additional investment of about $20 million, officials said. "I am especially pleased that the mini-mill, since it does not start with raw iron ore, is a very clean operation," Milliken said. "Scrap will be melted by an electric arc furnace rather than an open hearth or oxygen-fed furnace."

Key elements in the company's decision to build in Michigan were the state's labor force and role as a major consumer of mini-mill products, adequate raw materials, energy capability and a transportation system, Milliken said.

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Located on quaint winding Porter Lane in Eau Claire near High School with assuamable $22,600 mortgage. Full basement, fully carpeted, kitchen has all birch cabinets, separate dining area. 3 bedrooms and full bath, attached garage. Very neat. $26,900.

RIDE THE RANGE
20 ACRE HORSE FARM

4 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2 story home with full basement, stables to accomodate 6 to 7 horses, 2½ car heated garage, barn with overhead storage. Located south of Stevensville in Bridgman School District. 660 ft. frontage and 1320 ft. in depth. $45,900.

30 ACRES
VILLAGE OF BARODA

Frontage on two roads, Stevensville-Baroda and Lemon Creek, spring fed creek runs lazily thru property, city water available, call today of this investment opportunity.

2 Fireplaces-2 Baths
All brick 3 bed.

Immediate occupancy, no maintenance with all brick exterior plus 2 car garage and separate workshop. Quality radiates from this all plastered home, all thermopane windows, fireplace in living room and fireplace in downstairs birch paneled recreation room. St. Joe Schools. $36,900.

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3 BED - FAM ROOM

South of Stevensville, colonial brick 1700 sq. ft. ranch with full basement divided into paneled rec room and paneled room for pool table. Family room has brick fireplace and sliding glass doors to patio. Kitchen has stove and dishwasher with comfortable sized dining area, 2 baths with bath off master bedroom. Only $38,500.

2 STORY 4 BED
ST. JOE SCHOOLS

Slate foyer, powder room off entry, 16 ft. dining room, 24 ft. powder blue carpeted living room with brick fireplace, combination kitchen, dining area, family room with glass doors to patio. All 4 bedrooms 2nd floor with 2 baths, master bedroom exceptionally large with walk in closet-dressing room, and private bath. Full basement, gas heat, central air, paneled and tiled rec room, double garage. $61,000.

DUPLEX
BRICK EL SHAPED

Quite different with brick and cedar exterior with 2 bedrooms, full bath, full basement, gas heat, 1½ car garage, oven, refrigerator included, sliding glass doors from dining area to private patio, centrally air conditioned, over 1050 sq. ft. on each side plus basement and garage. $43,500.

TWO STORY BRICK
$37,500.

Paneled family room with brick fireplace, kitchen has stove and dishwasher, 1st. floor laundry, 1½ baths, formal dining, slate foyer, 3 bedrooms, attached 2 car garage. Lakeshore

4 BED-Lakeshore
$40,900

IMMEDIATE OCCUPANCY, central air, electronic air filter, 24 ft. kitchen-dining area with continuous clean oven, dishwasher, disposal, sliding glass doors to patio, deep 156 ft. lot, formal dining room, fireplace in carpeted living room, attached 2 car garage. Just yr old in better than new condition.

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Three bedroom ranch only one year old. Large bedrooms, kitchen with semi-formal dining, 1½ baths, full basement, central air conditioning, and attached garage. Owners being transferred. EXCELLENT PRICE OF $28,900.

VIEW OF LAKE

Two, or possible three, bedroom home silting in Watervliet Township. Sitting on a hill looking across Paw Paw Lake with access to the lake. Very nice condition. Kitchen with birch cabinets, living room with two large p...ture windows viewing the lake, family room, ceramic bath and two car garage. Assessments Paid. PRICED AT $28,900.

LAKE FRONT

Four bedroom house setting on Paw Paw Lake in Watervliet Twp. Featuring kitchen with built-ins, formal dining, 1½ baths and maintenance free aluminum exterior. Also has pier and cement breakwater. FIRST OFFERED IN THE LOW 40's.

25 ACRES

Older three bedroom home that needs remodeling. Has barn and a few out buildings. Located in Watervliet Twp. Over 2,000 feet of beautiful frontage on Paw Paw River. Commercial potential. PRICED AT $40,000.

FRUIT FARM

40 Acre farm with gentle rolling ground. Has older three bedroom home which needs some repairs, large barn and a few out buildings. Setting in Watervliet School district and Bainbridge Twp. PRICED IN THE LOWER 40's.

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HICKORY CR. MANOR

2 year old tri-level built by one of the area's master builders, Carroll Ott, and located in St. Joseph Township, St. Joseph schools. City water has been connected. The carpeted family room has open beam ceilings and a fireplace. Call us for an appointment to see this professionally decorated home priced in the mid 40'S.

IN THE PONDS

A subdivision in Royalton Township, St. Joseph schools, where there are many high quality homes similar to the one we offer for sale. It is a ranch brick home only 3 years old with four bedrooms, 2½ baths, first floor family and utility rooms, formal dining room, fireplace, central air, etc. Priced in the mid 70's.

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HOUSE OF THE WEEK

I DARE you to look inside this immaculate 3 bedroom, 2 car garage, 1¾ bath home, excellent carpeting, drapes, range, dishwasher, large built-in oven and many other extras. Plenty of room for a garden, this large lot is surrounded by large pines. Just has to be seen to be appreciated. $37,000.

NEW AS TOMORROW

New 3 bedroom ranch within walking distance to Coloma schools. Fully carpeted, spacious kitchen with all built-ins, 1¾ baths, main floor utility room, full basement, 2 car attached garage. Just $32,500. Why not start your new tomorrow in this charming new home?

RUN! DO NOT WALK!

To see this sparkling jewel before it's too late! Enter into the sunken living room with fireplace. Three large bedrooms, really sharp built-in kitchen. Family room, large two car garage. Convenient to shopping and schools. Priced below replacement cost.

3-BEDROOM
BRICK RANCH
ON PAW PAW LAKE

If you are looking for a sharp brick ranch on the lake, let us show you this 3 bedroom quality home. Large living room with fireplace, all carpeted, large two car garage. Over 100' on the water. Sewer is in and paid for. Excellent location. $48,500.

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HAPPINESS FOR SALE

No. 177...There's a heap of happy living offered in this newer three bedroom aluminum bi-level home. The generous living, dining room is graced by sliding doors to a redwood deck. Two excellent baths complement three well planned bedrooms and family room. Excellent neighborhood in Lakeshore off Cleveland Avenue where children are away from dangerous traffic. Put your family in this picture. The price will surprise you.

DON'T HOUSE AROUND

No. 458...This three bedroom has it all in one of the most livable homes in Berrien County. Lakeshore school district, within walking distance of all schools. Beautiful new carpet, refrigerator, range & oven, dishwasher, hood and fan, finished rec room in basement, electric door opener, beautiful decor and in excellent condition. All for only $28,900. This won't be on the market long! Call for an appointment today.

LARGE FAMILY?

No. 865...Fit them into this! Four bedrooms, separate dining room, first floor family room with fireplace, two baths, kitchen with all the built-ins, carpet like new thru-out and all on one floor. Add Lakeshore schools, all brick construction, two car garage and immediate possession and you have the comfort and convenience you have always wanted. Owner transferred and ready to deal.

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OVERLOOKING ST. JOSEPH RIVER

No. 1261...Perched high on a hill in it's heavily wooded setting, is this 1900 sq. ft. rancher with 3 bedrooms, formal dining, eat-in kitchen and first floor family room. The redwood siding blends in beautifully with Mother Nature. Inside are all the modern conveniences you could hope for with Mutschler kitchen cabinets and already hooked up to city water. Just listed at only $42,500.

ULTIMATELY CONTEMPORARY

No. 871...Over 100 ft. long, this pure example of modern contemporary living boasts features that cannot be found in new construction today. Over 2000 sq. ft. on first floor of this sprawling ranch encompasses a 15 X 20 living room, 38 ft. California sun room, 22 X 22 master bedroom with bath, fireplace in family room and first floor laundry. Downstairs is a completely finished bar room with tongue-in-groove panelling and over 35 ft. long. Underground sprinkling, tool shed and construction incomparable. Huge willows and Maples shade and protect a lifetime of comfortable living.

F.H.A. FINANCING POSSIBLE

No. 1142...On this extra large 2 bedroom rancher on a 125 X 150 ft. lot with completely maintenance free stone and aluminum exterior. Beautiful landscaping surrounds this home with attached garage and full basement. Huge 21 ft. living room provides all entertaining possibilities conceivable. Only 13 years old with fenced garden area and priced at $21,900.

FULL BRICK RANCH-$24,500

No. 1146...Enjoy the cool Spring evenings on your screened back porch as your view covers the expanse of your wooded and meticulously landscaped back yard. Fireplace in the living room, soft blue carpeting with matching drapes and sheers provide elegance and charm with formal and informal dining, full finished basement rec. room with bar, walking distance to grade school and water and sewer are already hooked up. Transferred owner offers immediate possession.

COLONIAL BRICK RANCH
IN SO. ST. JOE

No. 1153...Backed up to private woods, this home features fenced back yard spiced with maples and neatly trimmed shrubbery. Inside, we have 3 family-sized bedrooms, first floor family room with Williamsburg mantel over the fireplace, full basement is divided and half is decorated for a large recreation room, 2 baths, screened porch and perfect location. In thirties.

FLOWING SCULPTURED
AND SHAG CARPET

No. 1161...Cleaning is a breeze in this completely carpeted 1 yr. old mammoth split level in So. St. Joe exclusive neighborhood. Not only does this home boast 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, family room with fireplace, but also has 4th level full basement recreation room and workshop. Excellent quality construction with full brick and aluminum exterior, attached 2½-car garage with electric door opener, already hooked up to city water and sewer, centrally air conditioned, entirely fenced back yard and a store of value in the low fifties.

WALKING DISTANCE NO.
LINCOLN GRADE SCHOOL

No. 1193...3 bedroom rancher is ready for you to move into and enjoy the summer months with this 40 ft. swimming pool, full basement and double car attached garage. 1½ baths, chain link fencing surrounds the back yard, 132 ft. deep lot and priced only in the mid-twenties. Call now for your private appointment.

PRICE SLASHED
FOR FAST SALE

No. 1194...Now offered in Hickory Creek Manor, a huge spotless rancher with private master bath, all built-in appliances conceiable and basement decorated into one of the most lavish looking recreation and family rooms ever. Gas grill stays, centrally air conditioned, carpeting throughout and large, irregular shaped lot. 2 fireplaces, full brick, and you can move in immediately, as owners have already left town. In the thirties.

ECHO RIDGE
FAMILY HOME

No. 1247...This is truly a home for a growing family. Featuring 4 bedrooms plus a large den (could be used as a playroom), 2 baths and a family room. Mom will enjoy the kitchen, which offers a long list of built-ins. For entertaining, this 3 yr. old home offers a second kitchen off the family room. Corral the kids in a fenced back yard. With all the other features, such as fireplace, central air and excellent location, your family must see this home now. Priced at $45,900.

LAKESHORE-UNDER $18,000

No. 1249...Wow! An excellent location and only $17,500. This aluminum sided rancher has 3 bedrooms and is situated on a larger lot, big enough for a garden. This home is very neat and clean and is in good condition. Hurry while this home is still available.

STEVENSVILLE RANCHER
$30,500

No. 1254...Immediate possession available and over 1400 sq. ft. in this stone rancher with 2-car garage and full basement. Only 16 yrs. old and situated on a well matured lot 110 X 132. In addition to the 3 large bedrooms is a 4th bedroom or den. Hardwood floors throughout, gas grill and light to accent the charming exterior.

PRIME FAIRPLAIN
LOCATION

No. 1242...Now for only $22,900, you can own a beautiful wooded lot surrounding this 3-4 bedroom rancher, with a 20 ft. living room, finished basement family room and fenced back yard. The huge lot is 150 X 180 and possible land contract assumption.

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RUSH LAKE

Cozy summer home on lake with pier & row boat. Lot size 53'x200' deep. Has 3 rooms all furnished. Sale price, $11,000.

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ONLY ONE LEFT
SINGER LAKE BARODA

ONLY one lot left on the south side of beautiful Singer Lake that has water front. This lot is 100 ft. x 310 ft. and has a building site on a hill to give you the views of the calm, relaxing waters of this attractive lake. Excellent neighborhood. All homes in area are attractive well kept homes. Truly a wonderful place to live. On paved street. Lakeshore Schools. Priced at only $7900.

THE EXCEPTIONAL ONE

Owners are moving to Florida. When you buy this well kept, neat looking 3 bedroom ranch style home all you need to do is bring your clothes and you are moved in. Owners are leaving furniture and lawn equip. Besides, this home has an attached 1½ car garage. Full basement, wall to wall carpet and oak floors. Lge. kitchen dining area that is very neat and convenient. Large living room, many closets, excellent neighborhood. Quiet street. Beautiful landscaped yard, city water, Lakeshore School Baroda. Price for furniture, garden tractor with equip. $31,500.

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CHOICE LAKE PROPERTY
PAW PAW LAKE

No. 2003...Features 4 bedroom non-painting exterior, has carpet & hardwood floors. Living room with fireplace, which overlooks the lake, formal dining room has built-in china cupboard. Basement, garage, bath and a half. All set year around home with gas heat. Stove, refrigerator and all the furniture stays. City sewer in and paid for by the seller. A gas grill with beautiful sandy beach, with new permanent pier and boat house, which cost over $6,000. Taxes are reasonable $135 per year. Watervliet schools. Price reduced $20,000, now priced at $45,000. Shown by appointment only.

3 BEDRM.
SWIMMING POOL
COLOMA, $18,600

No. 6346...Charming Alum. sided bungalow style home in Coloma. 3 nice sized bedrooms with extra large double closets. Large living room & dining room combination. About 28 X 12 well-arranged kitchen with more cabinets than average. Utility room off the kitchen; on main floor. Full basement. Gas furnace with nice 1½ car garage; back yard has cyclone fence all around it. With large swimming pool; extra large lot. Very close to shopping and Coloma schools. Full price $18,600 with only 10% down.

SECLUDED PINES
BRIDGMAN AREA

No. 2005...Three bedroom brick & cedar ranch, which has only the best of materials from solid wood hand-finished doors to the extremely expensive and well-chosen beautiful light fixtures inside and outside of this home. Two fireplaces, one of which is enhanced with beautiful hand chiseled Alaskan stone with two antique silver lanterns on the massive fireplace. Slate entrance vestibule. This is a home of good choice and taste, not a run of the mill type. Sunken living room has open beam cathedral ceiling. Family room. The entire basement is finished, two car garage. Taxes very reasonable. Shown by appointment only. Priced at $68,500.

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2417-9—Apartment houses ranging from $12,500.00 to $29,000.00. Call for more information.

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2423—Coloma Twp. 6.3 Acres. Beautiful building site. 5 Acres Peaches. $6,700.00

3451—Just listed. 80 acres. 2 bedroom home with fireplace, about 50 acres tillable, some blueberry land. $35,000.00

226F—Neat 3 bedroom home on large City Lot near schools & shopping. $18,500.00.

219F—Two bedroom lake cottage. 89 ft. frontage on popular Lake. $19,900.

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TRI-LEVEL

Only 2 years old, in excellent condition and located in subdivision of similar homes in Lincoln Township, Lakeshore schools. City water is in use and there are no special assessments. 3 bedrooms; 2 baths, family room, built-in kitchen, most rooms are carpeted and the home is tastefully decorated. You can reap the benefits of the work and money expended by the present owners over the past 2 years when they bought it new. Priced in mid 40's.

BRICK RANCH-$29,750

This quality built brick rancher near North Lincoln school sits nicely on a well landscaped lot. Featured in this comfortable family home are two limestone fireplaces, a bath and a half, full basement, attached garage, and possible special financing, call today to discuss this excellent opportunity.

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SPACIOUS CALIFORNIA RANCH

Have you wanted a large master bedroom? Is 16x17 big enough? It should be it's larger than some living rooms. Speaking about living rooms, this one is 25' long with a full stone wall fireplace and a large picture window overlooking the children's neighborhood park. Already hooked up to city sewer and best of all, you can assume this mortgage with less than 25% down. $24,900.

LOCATION, LOCATION, LOCATION

Alpine Ridge Ranch has 3 B.R.'s with possible 4th in finished basement along with finished rec room. The triple patio has a set of Glass sliders off the formal dining area and also off the family room. If you are looking for a home with a Fireplace, Central air, a convenient kitchen with all built-ins, a double garage with an automatic door opener, and an exceptionally nice lot, see this before you buy. Mid 40's.

WOODED RAVINE LOT

This parcel of excellent building property is located in an extremely exclusive area of South St. Joseph, it features city water and sewer and a black-topped road. It is nearly an acre and is priced at only $15,900. See it now! There aren't many available today!!

V.I.P. SPECIAL

Four bedroom tri-level on large 114'x134' lot. The 24' family room has a corner wood burning fireplace, the kitchen has all built-ins, the garage has an automatic door opener, and the master bedroom has its own private bath and double closets. This good value is in Lakeshore Schools, and won't last long at $44,900.

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2 BR.

Home that has had tender, loving care is waiting for a new owner. Formal dining room, ceramic bath, combined sewing utility room and beautiful kitchen will delight the most discriminating buyer.

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SISTER LAKES

This beauty is setting in a grove of trees overlooking the sloping lawn to the sandy beach with a pier and a view of the entire lake. 3 bedrooms, 1¾ baths, sliding glass doors from the master bedroom, sundeck, family room, large kitchen, intercom, 2100 sq. ft. Only $44,900.

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Hurry on this 5 year old 3 bedroom carpeted home in a choice St. Joe city location within walking distance of Lake Michigan. With built-in stove, chain link fencing around the sloping backyard, and many other custom features, this excellent home can be purchased with as little as 5% down.

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BENTON HEIGHTS
2½ ACRE
FORMER NURSERY

A perfect place to grow rock garden stock and other perenials for the twin city area. Property includes aluminum sided 4 Br. home, brick 2 car garage, brick out-building and an old barn with "barnwood" lumber much in demand today. Call to see.

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PRESTIGE AREA

1900 sq. ft. living area, 3 bedroom, large rooms. Living room has fireplace with built-in bookshelves, bay windows, kitchen dining & recreation area combined, sliding doors. Completely carpeted, 2 baths, 2½ car garage and central air conditioning. Near Lutheran High School. Low 40's.

FAMILY LIVING AT ITS BEST
4 BEDROOM-EATON PARK

Extra large fenced in lot, with heated in-ground pool. Large recreation room with sliding doors to terraced patio. Built-in kitchen, 1¾ baths & large entrance way. Central air & 2½ car garage. Upper 30's.

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GOOD VALUE

1-Acre building sites in the Coloma School District - $3,000.

POTENTIAL IS GREAT

Thirteen bedroom resort home on Round Lake. This building has over 5000 square feet and sits on 3 acres with 260 feet of lake frontage. Only $60,000.

GO FISHING

Small 2-bedroom home with Paw Paw River frontage. This home is in good condition and is located in Coloma, $16,000.

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KECHKAYLO

HOUSE OF THE WEEK

Very stately, older home with large rooms. Features 3 bedrooms, spacious living room with cozy fireplace, carpeted family room, full basement, 2-car garage. Situated on a very lovely lot. Possible terms available. $21,900.

80 ACRE FARM

Located in Scottdale. Beautiful 4 bedroom farm house has been completely remodelled. Also 4 barns, 2 car garage, 3 tenant cabins, 5 acres grapes, balance of land all tillable. Owner is retiring and will accept land contract to qualified buyer.

BARGAIN SPECIAL

Nice 2 bedroom older home. Carpeted living room and dining room, gas heating, low taxes, 2 car garage. Only $8,500. Low down payment. Mortgage is assumable.

HANDYMAN SPECIAL

With a little paint and a little elbow grease, this 3 bedroom home could be your own home sweet home. Large living room with dining area, glassed in front porch, full basement. Bland contract terms available. Can't beat it for $8,000.

SPRING IS HERE

Getting ready to start building that new home? Call us. We may have just the location you're looking for. Ravine lots in St. Joe, lots in Coloma school system and lots at Dewey Lake. Prices start at a low $3,500.

NEAR FAIRPLAIN PLAZA

Nice and neat 3 bedroom home. Has been remodelled. Formal dining room, first floor utility room, disposal in kitchen. Nice large yard, plus a heated workshop complete with intercom. Owner will sell on land contract to qualified buyers. Price is $15,900.

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$2,000 DOWN
3 BED - 2 BATHS

Fireplace in living room which has cathederal ceiling and fully carpeted. Family room-dining room combination. Kitchen has built in oven, dishwasher and many birch cabinets. 1st. floor laundry and full bath, sliding glass doors off dining area to patio. Open stairway and balcony leads to your 2nd floor and 3 bedrooms and full baths, attached 2 car garage, immediate occupancy, full price $31,900, maintenance free brick and aluminum exterior. Coloma Schools.

QUIET ECHO RIDGE
BRICK 3 BED RANCH

1700 sq. ft. in this all brick ranch with fireplace in family room with sliding glass doors to patio and well manicured 140 ft. deep third acre lot. Kitchen has all built ins, separate dining area. 2 baths, fully carpeted and paneled basement rec room, attached paneled two car garage. Yard professionally landscaped and interior in immaculate condition. Lakeshore. $41,500.

YEAR OLD ALUM. RANCH
3 BED - GARAGE

Located on quaint winding Porter Lane in Eau Claire near High School with assuamable $22,600 mortgage. Full basement, fully carpeted, kitchen has all birch cabinets, separate dining area. 3 bedrooms and full bath, attached garage. Very neat. $26,900.

RIDE THE RANGE
20 ACRE HORSE FARM

4 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2 story home with full basement, stables to accomodate 6 to 7 horses, 2½ car heated garage, barn with overhead storage, Located south of Stevensville in Bridgman School District. 660 ft. frontage and 1320 ft. in depth. $45,900.

30 ACRES
VILLAGE OF BARODA

Frontage on two roads, Stevensville-Baroda and Lemon Creek, spring fed creek runs lazily thru property, city water available, call today of this investment opportunity.

2 Fireplaces-2 Baths
All brick 3 bed.

Immediate occupancy, no maintenance with all brick exterior plus 2 car garage and separate workshop. Quality radiates from this all plastered home, all thermopane windows, fireplace in living room and fireplace in downstairs birch paneled recreation room. St. Joe Schools. $36,900.

BROOK PARK BRICK
3 BED - FAM ROOM

South of Stevensville, colonial brick 1700 sq. ft. ranch with full basement divided into paneled rec room and paneled room for pool table. Family room has brick fireplace and sliding glass doors to patio, Kitchen has stove and dishwasher with comfortable sized dining area, 2 baths with bath off master bedroom. Only $38,500.

2 STORY 4 BED
ST. JOE. SCHOOLS

Slate foyer, powder room off entry, 16 ft. dining room, 24 ft. powder blue carpeted living room with brick fireplace, combination kitchen, dining area, family room with glass doors to patio. All 4 bedrooms 2nd floor with 2 baths, master bedroom exceptionally large with walk in closet-dressing room, and private bath. Full basement, gas heat, central air, paneled and tiled rec room, double garage. $61,000.

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BRICK EL SHAPED

Quite different with brick and cedar exterior with 2 bedrooms, full bath, full basement, gas heat, 1½ car garage, oven, refrigerator included, sliding glass doors from dining area to private patio, centrally air conditioned, over 1050 sq. ft. on each side plus basement and garage. $43,500.

TWO STORY BRICK
$37,500.

Paneled family room with brick fireplace, kitchen has stove and dishwasher, 1st. floor laundry, 1½ baths, formal dining, slate foyer, 3 bedrooms, attached 2 car garage. Lakeshore

4 BED-Lakeshore
$40,900

IMMEDIATE OCCUPANCY, central air, electronic air filter, 24 ft. kitchen-dining area with continuous clean oven, dishwasher, disposal, sliding glass doors to patio, deep 156 ft. lot, formal dining room, fireplace in carpeted living room, attached 2 car garage. Just yr old in better than new condition.

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Three bedroom ranch only one year old. Large bedrooms, kitchen with semi-formal dining, 1½ baths, full basement, central air conditioning, and attached garage. Owners being transferred. EXCELLENT PRICE OF $28,900.

VIEW OF LAKE

Two, or possible three, bedroom home sitting in Watervliet Township. Sitting on a hill looking across Paw Paw Lake with access to the lake. Very nice condition. Kitchen with birch cabinets, living room with two large p...ture windows viewing the lake, family room, ceramic bath and two car garage. Assessments Paid. PRICED AT $28,900.

LAKE FRONT

Four bedroom house setting on Paw Paw Lake in Watervliet Twp. Featuring kitchen with built-ins, formal dining, 1½ baths and maintenance free aluminum exterior. Also has pier and cement breakwater. FIRST OFFERED IN THE LOW 40's.

25 ACRES

Older three bedroom home that needs remodeling. Has barn and a few out buildings. Located in Watervliet Twp. Over 2,000 feet of beautiful frontage on Paw Paw River. Commercial potential. PRICED AT $40,000.

FRUIT FARM

40 Acre farm with gentle rolling ground. Has older three bedroom home which needs some repairs, large barn and a few out buildings. Setting in Watervliet School district and Bainbridge Twp. PRICED IN THE LOWER 40's.

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HICKORY CR. MANOR

2 year old tri-level built by one of the area's master builders, Carroll Ott, and located in St. Joseph Township, St. Joseph schools. City water has been connected. The carpeted family room has open beam ceilings and a fireplace. Call us for an appointment to see this professionally decorated home priced in the mid 40'S.

IN THE PONDS

A subdivision in Royalton Township, St. Joseph schools, where there are many high quality homes similar to the one we offer for sale. It is a ranch brick home only 3 years old with four bedrooms, 2½ baths, first floor family and utility rooms, formal dining room, fireplace, central air, etc. Priced in the mid 70's.

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No. 177...There's a heap of happy living offered in this newer three bedroom aluminum bi-level home. The generous living, dining room is graced by sliding doors to a redwood deck. Two excellent baths complement three well planned bedrooms and family room. Excellent neighborhood in Lakeshore off Cleveland Avenue where children are away from dangerous traffic. Put your family in this picture. The price will surprise you.

DON'T HOUSE AROUND

No. 458...This three bedroom has it all in one of the most livable homes in Berrien County. Lakeshore school district, within walking distance of all schools. Beautiful new carpet, refrigerator, range & oven, dishwasher, hood and fan, finished rec room in basement, electric door opener, beautiful decor and in excellent condition. All for only $28,900. This won't be on the market long! Call for an appointment today.

LARGE FAMILY?

No. 865...Fit them into this! Four bedrooms, separate dining room, first floor family room with fireplace, two baths, kitchen with all the built-ins, carpet like new thru-out and all on one floor. Add Lakeshore schools, all brick construction, two car garage and immediate possession and you have the comfort and convenience you have always wanted. Owner transferred and ready to deal.

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HOUSE OF THE WEEK

I DARE you to look inside this immaculate 3 bedroom, 2 car garage, 1¾ bath home, excellent carpeting, drapes, range, dishwasher, large built-in oven and many other extras. Plenty of room for a garden, this large lot is surrounded by large pines. Just has to be seen to be appreciated. $37,000.

NEW AS TOMORROW

New 3 bedroom ranch within walking distance to Coloma schools. Fully carpeted, spacious kitchen with all built-ins, 1¾ baths, main floor utility room, full basement, 2 car attached garage. Just $32,500. Why not start your new tomorrow in this charming new home?

RUN! DO NOT WALK!

To see this sparkling jewel before it's too late! Enter into the sunken living room with fireplace. Three large bedrooms, really sharp built-in kitchen. Family room, large two car garage. Convenient to shopping and schools. Priced below replacement cost.

3-BEDROOM
BRICK RANCH
ON PAW PAW LAKE

if you are looking for a sharp brick ranch on the lake, let us show you this 3 bedroom quality home. Large living room with fireplace, all carpeted, large two car garage. Over 100' on the water. Sewer is in and paid for. Excellent location. $48,500.

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OVERLOOKING ST. JOSEPH RIVER

No. 1261...Perched high on a hill in it's heavily wooded setting, is this 1900 sq. ft. rancher with 3 bedrooms, formal dining, eat-in kitchen and first floor family room. The redwood siding blends in beautifully with Mother Nature. Inside are all the modern conveniences you could hope for with Mutschler kitchen cabinets and already hooked up to city water. Just listed at only $42,500.

ULTIMATELY CONTEMPORARY

No. 871...Over 100 ft. long, this pure example of modern contemporary living boasts features that cannot be found in new construction today. Over 2000 sq. ft. on first floor of this sprawling ranch encompasses a 15 X 20 living room, 39 ft. California sun room, 22 X 22 master bedroom with bath, fireplace in family room and first floor laundry. Downstairs is a completely finished bar room with tongue-in-groove panelling and over 35 ft. long. Underground sprinkling, tool shed and construction incomparable. Huge willows and Maples shade and protect a lifetime of comfortable living.

F.H.A. FINANCING POSSIBLE

No. 1142...On this extra large 2 bedroom rancher on a 125 X 150 ft. lot with completely maintenance free stone and aluminum exterior. Beautiful landscaping surrounds this home with attached garage and full basement. Huge 21 ft. living room provides all entertaining possibilities conceivable. Only 13 years old with fenced garden area and priced at $21,900.

FULL BRICK RANCH-$24,500

No. 1146...Enjoy the cool Spring evenings on your screened back porch as your view covers the expanse of your wooded and meticulously landscaped back yard. Fireplace in the living room, soft blue carpeting with matching drapes and sheers provide elegance and charm with formal and informal dining, full finished basement rec. room with bar, walking distance to grade school and water and sewer are already hooked up. Transferred owner offers immediate possession.

COLONIAL BRICK RANCH IN SO. ST. JOE

No. 1153...Backed up to private woods, this home features fenced back yard spiced with maples and neatly trimmed shrubbery. Inside, we have 3 family-sized bedrooms, first floor family room with Williamsburg mantel over the fireplace, full basement is divided and half is decorated for a large recreation room, 2 baths, screened porch and perfect location. In thirties.

FLOWING SCULPTURED AND SHAG CARPET

No. 1161...Cleaning is a breeze in this completely carpeted 1 yr. old mammoth split level in So. St. Joe exclusive neighborhood. Not only does this home boast 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, family room with fireplace, but also has 4th level full basement recreation room and workshop. Excellent quality construction with full brick and aluminum exterior, attached 2½-car garage with electric door opener, already hooked up to city water and sewer, centrally air conditioned, entirely fenced back yard and a store of value in the low fifties.

WALKING DISTANCE NO. LINCOLN GRADE SCHOOL

No. 1193...3 bedroom rancher is ready for you to move into and enjoy the summer months with this 40 ft. swimming pool, full basement and double car attached garage. 1½ baths, chain link fencing surrounds the back yard, 132 ft. deep lot and priced only in the mid-twenties. Call now for your private appointment.

PRICE SLASHED FOR FAST SALE

No. 1194...Now offered in Hickory Creek Manor, a huge spotless rancher with private master bath, all built-in appliances conceiable and basement decorated into one of the most lavish looking recreation and family rooms ever. Gas grill stays, centrally air conditioned, carpeting throughout and large, irregular shaped lot. 2 fireplaces, full brick and you can move in immediately, as owners have already left town. In the thirties.

ECHO RIDGE FAMILY HOME

No. 1247...This is truly a home for a growing family. Featuring 4 bedrooms plus a large den (could be used as a playroom), 2 baths and a family room. Mom will enjoy the kitchen, which offers a long list of built-ins. For entertaining, this 3 yr. old home offers a second kitchen off the family room. Corral the kids in a fenced back yard. With all the other features, such as fireplace, central air and excellent location, your family must see this home now. Priced at $45,900.

LAKESHORE-UNDER $18,000

No. 1249...Wow! An excellent location and only $17,500. This aluminum sided rancher has 3 bedrooms and is situated on a larger lot, big enough for a garden. This home is very neat and clean and is in good condition. Hurry while this home is still available.

STEVENSVILLE RANCHER
$30,500

No. 1254...Immediate possession available and over 1400 sq. ft. in this stone rancher with 2-car garage and full basement. Only 16 yrs. old and situated on a well matured lot 110 X 132. In addition to the 3 large bedrooms is a 4th bedroom or den. Hardwood floors throughout, gas grill and light to accent the charming exterior.

PRIME FAIRPLAIN LOCATION

No. 1242...Now for only $22,900, you can own a beautiful wooded lot surrounding this 3-4 bedroom rancher with a 20 ft. living room, finished basement family room and fenced back yard. The huge lot is 150 X 180 and possible land contract assumption.

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SINGER LAKE BARODA

ONLY one lot left on the south side of beautiful Singer Lake that has water front. This lot is 100 ft. x 310 ft. and has a building site on a hill to give you the views of the calm, relaxing waters of this attractive lake. Excellent neighborhood. All homes in area are attractive well kept homes. Truly a wonderful place to live. On paved street. Lakeshore Schools. Priced at only $7900.

THE EXCEPTIONAL ONE

Owners are moving to Florida. When you buy this well kept, neat looking 3 bedroom ranch style home all you need to do is bring your clothes and you are moved in. Owners are leaving furniture and lawn equip. Besides, this home has an attached 1½ car garage. Full basement, wall to wall carpet and oak floors. Lge. kitchen dining area that is very neat and convenient. Large living room, many closets, excellent neighborhood. Quiet street. Beautiful landscaped yard, city water. Lakeshore School Baroda. Price for furniture, garden tractor with equip. $31,500.

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CHOICE LAKE PROPERTY
PAW PAW LAKE

No. 2003...Features 4 bedroom nonpainting exterior, has carpet & hardwood floors. Living room with fireplace, which overlooks the lake, formal dining room has built-in china cupboard. Basement, garage, bath and a half. All set year around home with gas heat. Stove, refrigerator and all the furniture stays. City sewer in and paid for by the seller. A gas grill with beautiful sandy beach, with new permanent pier and boat house, which cost over $6,000. Taxes are reasonable $435 per year. Watervliet schools. Price reduced $20,000, now priced at $45,000. Shown by appointment only.

3 BEDRM.
SWIMMING POOL
COLOMA, $18,600

No. 6346...Charming Alum. sided bungalow style home in Coloma. 3 nice sized bedrooms with extra large double closets. Large living room & dining room combination. About 28 X 12 well-arranged kitchen with more cabinets than average. Utility room off the kitchen; on main floor. Full basement. Gas furnace with nice 1½ car garage; back yard has cyclone fence all around it. With large swimming pool; extra large lot. Very close to shopping and Coloma schools. Full price $18,600 with only 10% down.

SECLUDED PINES
BRIDGMAN AREA

No. 2005...Three bedroom brick & cedar ranch, whch has only the best of materials from solid wood hand-finished doors to the extremely expensive and well-chosen beautiful light fixtures inside and outside of this home. Two fireplaces, one of which is enhanced with beautiful hand chiseled Alaskan stone with two antique silver lanterns on the massive fireplace. Slate entrance vestibule. This is a home of good choice and taste, not a run of the mill type. Sunken living room has open beam cathedral ceiling. Family room. The entire basement is finished, two car garage. Taxes very reasonable. Shown by appointment only. Priced at $68,500.

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This home has two! Do you need five bedrooms? You've found them! Beautiful kitchen with built-ins? Of Course! Family room? Utility room? Double garage? Certainly! Would you like a bonus feature? One and one-half acres, excellent schools? Only $36,000! Give us a jingle between 9 and 9 on Fridays and Mondays, between 9 and 5 all other days except Sunday.

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1258E—Near lakes-knotty pine interior, 2 large bedrooms, full basement. $19,500.00.

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2417-9—Apartment houses ranging from $12,500.00 to $29,000.00. Call for more information.

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2423—Coloma Twp. 6.3 Acres. Beautiful building site. 5 Acres Peaches. $6,700.00

345H—Just listed. 80 acres. 2 bedroom home with fireplace, about 50 acres tillable, some blueberry land. $35,000.00

226F—Neat 3 bedroom home on large City Lot near schools & shopping. $18,500.00

219F—Two bedroom lake cottage. 89 ft. frontage on popular Lake. $19,900.

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Is only seven minutes away from this excellent 3 bedroom brick home. First floor utility room and large country kitchen are just a few of the many features. Priced to sell quickly at only $28,900. Oh yes! Low taxes and Coloma schools.

TRI-LEVEL

Only 2 years old, in excellent condition and located in subdivision of similar homes in Lincoln Township, Lakeshore schools. City water is in use and there are no special assessments. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, family room, built-in kitchen, most rooms are carpeted and the home is tastefully decorated. You can reap the benefits of the work and money expended by the present owners over the past 2 years when they bought it new. Priced in mid 40's.

BRICK RANCH-$29,750

This quality built brick rancher near North Lincoln school sits nicely on a well landscaped lot. Featured in this comfortable family home are two limestone fireplaces, a bath and a half, full basement, attached garage, and possible special financing, call today to discuss this excellent opportunity.

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SPACIOUS CALIFORMA RANCH

Have you wanted a large master bedroom? Is 16x17 big enough? It should be it's larger than some living rooms. Speaking about living rooms, this one is 25' long with a full stone wall fireplace and a large picture window overlooking the children's neighborhood park. Already hooked up to city sewer and best of all, you can assume this mortgage with less than 25% down. $24,900.

LOCATION, LOCATION, LOCATION

Alpine Ridge Ranch has 3 B.R.'s with possible 4th in finished basement along with finished rec room. The triple patio has a set of Glass sliders off the formal dining area and also off the family room. If you are looking for a home with a Fireplace, Central air, a convenient kitchen with all built-ins, a double garage with an automatic door opener, and an exceptionally nice lot, see this before you buy. Mid 40's.

WOODED RAVINE LOT

This parcel of excellent building property is located in an extremely exclusive area of South St. Joseph, it features city water and sewer and a black-topped road. It is nearly an acre and is priced at only $15,900. See it now! There aren't many available today!!

V.I.P. SPECIAL

Four bedroom tri-level on large 114'x154' lot. The 24' family room has a corner wood burning fireplace, the kitchen has all built-ins, the garage has an automatic door opener, and the master bedroom has its own private bath and double closets. This good value is in Lakeshore Schools, and won't last long at $44,900.

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NEWER 4 BED BUY! ALUM. SO. ST. JOE

No. 651...In all St. Joe school district off N. Lincoln school. Has a huge 120 ft. by 132 ft. lot with trees & shrubbery. Newer style aluminum sided with a stone front planter featuring a carpeted picture window living room over 13 ft. by 20 ft. Plenty cabinets in kitchen with a formal dining room. Full bath on first floor also a 2nd floor full bath with a ½ bath in the 2 car attached garage. Master carpeted bedroom, is 13 ft. by 16 ft., 11 ft. by 14 ft., 12 ft. by 13 ft. and 12 ft. by 11 ft. Has a beautifully finished family room 39 ft. long with a natural Ohio limestone fireplace, tiled floors, panelled walls & finished ceiling with built-in wall seats. Gas furnace, heat only $250 a year. Priced to sell at $34,500!!

3 BED ALUM. COLOMA SWIM POOL $18,600

No. 8348...in a excellent Coloma city location on a huge 186 ft. deep lot. Has lawn, shade trees and an expensive cyclone fence in backyard. Has an above ground swim pool 28 ft. diameter, 5 ft. deep, an aluminum sided garage. This remodeled all on 1 floor home has newer aluminum exterior siding. Attractive carpeted living room. A formal dining room, one wall in paneling. All three bedrooms at least 13 ft. long. Master bedroom is 13 ft. by 13 ft. full bath with lots of cabinets. Kitchen has plenty cabinets. Full basement, newer gas furnace. Heat only $180 a year. New 200 amp electric wiring. Front enclosed porch also back porch. Owner must have a fast sale at only $18,600!!

A ST. JOE SPECIAL! 3 BED. FAMILY RM. $24,500

No. 8067...First time offered and what a buy in city of St. Joe off Langley in Lincoln school district. All assessments paid on paved street. Newer style aluminum sided rancher. Has a nice lot with lawn & flowers. Picture window living room has newer wall to wall carpeting. Newer carpeted kitchen with birch cabinets, newer counter top and stainless steel sink. Full ceramic tiled bath. All three bedrooms are at least 12 ft. long. First floor family room in paneled walls & finished ceiling with newer wall to wall carpeting. Has a natural brick fireplace with heatalators. Full block divided basement has a 12 ft. by 33 ft. recreation room with tiled floor. Gas furnace. Heat only $200 a year attached garage. Rarely is there such a buy as this only 5% and 10% down financing. Will sell fast at $24,500!!

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No. 273...If these are three items that are a must for your new home, then be the first to see this unique designed rambling ranch. Spacious entry foyer, traffic free living room with stone fireplace. Formal dining room, family room with raised hearth fireplace. The kitchen has all the modern built-ins. First floor utility room, two baths, four bedrooms. Basement with rec. room and fireplace, central air and gas heat. Beautiful landscaped extra large lot with many Pine trees. Two barns for horses and brick exterior. Two car garage with electric door opener.

MEAT 'N SWEET

No. 742...A good starter home. Three bedrooms, new gas furnace, cedar shingles and a nice garden spot in the fenced back yard. St. Joseph schools. Priced at only $18,500.

SAY HELLO TO EASY LIVING

No. 223...In this smashing, low maintenance, stone rancher. Mom will find the housekeeping easy because there is only one level and plenty of room and closets. Imagine a huge 15X19' kitchen and a 11X23 formal dining room. A 27X24 family room with fireplace and wet bar. Three huge bedrooms with cozy den which could be fourth bedroom. There are over 2,000 square feet in this beautiful family home. Carpeting and drapes in excellent condition. This home is situated on two large lots with a large patio and lots of room for basketball and other outdoor fun. Plenty of room for a garden. Two car garage and storage with electric door opener, central air and many more extras. Call and let us tell you about them.

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MOVE RIGHT IN

and still enjoy the crackling in the fireplace and welcome Spring with the many trees and the extra ravine lot that is included in the price of $24,900. This home is spac lous but cozy with 4 bedrooms and den, plus almost new carpeting in living room and dining room, full basement, garage and low taxes.

FIRST TIME OFFERED

this cozy 2 bedroom will be sold with all the furniture, appliances, and TV-screened patio, breezeway, gas heat and 1½ car garage asking only $12,500. Be first to see this one.

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3 BEDROOM-
800 Block LaVerne

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Houses for Sale - 8

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Business Places - 13

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Furnished Apartments - 17

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Furnished Houses - 19

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Jobs Of Interest-Male - 31

RENTALS

Furnished Houses - 19

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Mobile Homes - 21

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Business Places - 23-A

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Rooms With Board - 25

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Miscellaneous For Sale - 51

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A ST. JOE SPECIAL! 3 BED. FAMILY RM. $24,500

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Mobile Homes 21

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Somewhere Napoleon stated that a static defense was a refined form of suicide. On the other hand, military commentators are in general agreement that the strongest posture (if you lack overwhelming offensive power) is one of strategic defense and tactical offense. What has occurred in South Vietnam over the past weeks is that President Nguyen Van Thieu suddenly shifted from the first to the second, and in the process much of his army came unglued. In the last couple of years the North Vietnamese have been putting into effect a finely-honed strategy for destroying the South. (It was, of course, in violation of the Paris agreement, but that is irrelevant to our discussion. I never expected them to observe the Paris accord anymore than they did the agreement worked out for Laos at Geneva in 1962.)

The essence of this military movement was to establish Hanoi's forces on the inner line of an arc reaching from the DMZ to the Mekong River in the South. This involved logistical preparations, paving the Ho Chi Minh freeway, and infiltrating substantial additional troops, lavishly equipped by the Soviet Union and (to a lesser extent, mainly in the area of foodstuffs) the Chinese. The next phase was to get control of the road in the Central Highlands, thus establishing a network of interior lines of communication. Once this was accomplished, they could strike the South Vietnamese at any point on the arc, keeping the latter in a constant state of uncertainty, constantly shipping reserves back and forth; in short, conducting a series of static defenses at points chosen by the enemy.

Thieu and his advisers meanwhile were trapped by their own rhetoric. After you have announced from the rooftops for years that every inch of the fatherland will be fought for, it is rather difficult to convene a military council and say, "Forget all that; we are soldiers, not real estate operators." The function of an army, in other words, is to chew up the enemy, not act as night watchmen for various, mostly underpopulated provinces.

This not a new dilemma. Confederate General Joseph E. Johnston (whose talents, in my book, rank with those of Lee and Jackson) was a victim of this real estate fixation in our Civil War. Conducting a masterful retreat from Sherman (who had well over double his effectives and unlimited supplies), Johnston was suddenly informed he had to defend Atlanta, an impossible mission.

One can sympathize with the good people of Atlanta, who did not want to see their houses reduced to "Sherman's Tombstones" (chimneys standing in the ashes). But to Johnston, the first priority was maintaining his army to fight another day. He knew a set-piece battle against Sherman's well-led veterans would be a Confederate abbatoir. (Sherman's arithmetic — learned from Grant — told him he could take 2-1 combat losses and still have an army in being, while Johnston's would be eliminated.) Johnston was busted by Jefferson Davis and replaced by a "real fighter," John B. Hood. Hood got into a real fight and the Confederate forces in the Southeast virtually disappeared from the order of battle. (Atlanta also practically disappeared; Hood blew it up on departing. So much for defending real estate.)

In military terms, then, it was foolish to keep more than patrols in the Central Highlands of Vietnam and the three northern provinces. Given the devastating cutbacks in American military aid, the South Vietnamese army should have been concentrated in the populated areas (over 80 percent of the inhabitants live on about 15 per cent of the land). There they could have established strung points, built up the strategic reserve, and on their initiative launched attacks and counterattacks on the Communists. Politically this could be condemned as giving half, or two-thirds, of the country to Hanoi, but it would have constituted a viable military posture.

Doubtless Saigon had such contingency plans, but the problem is that you can't just blow a whistle and have a whole army shift gears. A gradual evacuation over two years (civilians first and then military units leap-frogging each other out) would have made sense, but — and here is the hook — it would have been interpreted by American public opinion as a confession of Saigon's weakness and pessimism. So Thieu waited too long and the result was chaos. Fortunately he fooled Hanoi, too, with the result that the North has been unable to follow up hard and close. With a little luck and determination, Thieu can get his forces regrouped in effective positions to hold the population frontier. And it does seem to me we are due for a little luck in Vietnam.

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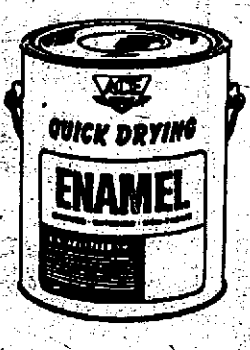
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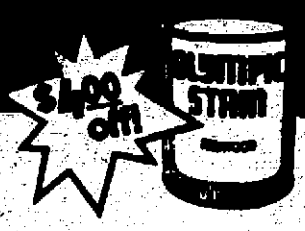
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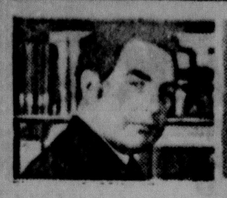


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A Word Edgewise

Somewhere Napoleon stated that a static defense was a refined form of suicide. On the other hand, military commentators are in general agreement that the strongest posture (if you lack overwhelming offensive power) is one of strategic defense and tactical offense. What has occurred in South Vietnam over the past weeks is that President Nguyen Van Thieu suddenly shifted from the first to the second, and in the process much of his army came unglued. In the last couple of years the North Vietnamese have been putting into effect a finely-honed strategy for destroying the South. (It was, of course, in violation of the Paris agreement, but that is irrelevant to our discussion. I never expected them to observe the Paris accord anymore than they did the agreement worked out for Laos at Geneva in 1962.)

The essence of this military movement was to establish Hanoi's forces on the inner line of an arc reaching from the DMZ to the Mekong River in the South. This involved logistical preparations, paving the Ho Chi Minh freeway, and infiltrating substantial additional troops, lavishly equipped by the Soviet Union and (to a lesser extent, mainly in the area of foodstuffs) the Chinese. The next phase was to get control of the road in the Central Highlands, thus establishing a network of interior lines of communication. Once this was accomplished, they could strike the South Vietnamese at any point on the arc, keeping the latter in a constant state of uncertainty, constantly shipping reserves back and forth; in short, conducting a series of static defenses at points chosen by the enemy.

Thieu and his advisers meanwhile were trapped by their own rhetoric. After you have announced from the rooftops for years that every inch of the fatherland will be fought for, it is rather difficult to convene a military council and say, "Forget all that; we are soldiers, not real estate operators." The function of an army, in other words, is to chew up the enemy, not act as night watchmen for various, mostly underpopulated provinces.

This not a new dilemma. Confederate General Joseph E. Johnston (whose talents, in my book, rank with those of Lee and Jackson) was a victim of this real estate fixation in our Civil War. Conducting a masterful retreat from Sherman (who had well over double his effectives and unlimited supplies), Johnston was suddenly informed he had to defend Atlanta, an impossible mission.

One can sympathize with the good people of Atlanta, who did not want to see their houses reduced to "Sherman's Tombstones" (chimneys standing in the ashes). But to Johnston, the first priority was maintaining his army to fight another day. He knew a set-piece battle against Sherman's well-led veterans would be a Confederate abbatoir. (Sherman's arithmetic — learned from Grant — told him he could take 2-1 combat losses and still have an army in being, while Johnston's would be eliminated:) Johnston was busted by Jefferson Davis and replaced by a "real fighter," John B. Hood. Hood got into a real fight and the Confederate forces in the Southeast virtually disappeared from the order of battle. (Atlanta also practically disappeared; Hood blew it up on departing. So much for defending real estate.)

In military terms, then, it was foolish to keep more than patrols in the Central Highlands of Vietnam and the three northern provinces. Given the devastating cutbacks in American military aid, the South Vietnamese army should have been concentrated in the populated areas (over 80 percent of the inhabitants live on about 15 per cent of the land). There they could have established strong points, built up the strategic reserve, and on their initiative launched attacks and counterattacks on the Communists. Politically this could be condemned as giving half, or two-thirds, of the country to Hanoi, but it would have constituted a viable military posture.

Doubtless Saigon had such contingency plans, but the problem is that you can't just blow a whistle and have a whole army shift gears. A gradual evacuation over two years (civilians first and then military units leap-frogging each other out) would have made sense, but — and here is the hook — it would have been interpreted by American public opinion as a confession of Saigon's weakness and pessimism. So Thieu waited too long and the result was chaos. Fortunately he fooled Hanoi, too, with the result that the North has been unable to follow up hard and close. With a little luck and determination, Thieu can get his forces regrouped in effective positions to hold the population frontier. And it does seem to me we are due for a little luck in Vietnam.

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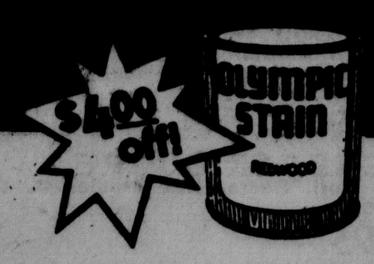
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